

## IN THE FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

Send in news of your boy so his friends in uniform may keep in touch with him. Phone 788.

Mrs. Ada Everest received a Mother's Day cable from her son, Sgt. Wm. Everest, who is serving in Ceylon, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Desvitt, Sharon, received a cable last week from their son, Percy, who is in Germany.

Mrs. George Johns has received word from her husband, FO George E. Johns, who is overseas.

WO A. F. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Johnson, Huron St. East, has been promoted to the rank of pilot officer overseas.

LAC Stanley Evans, Moncton, N.B., is spending two weeks furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Evans, and leaves for Newfoundland following his furlough.

### AWAITING DISCHARGE



Awaiting a discharge from the navy for medical reasons, SPO Robert V. Benville, son of Mrs. Violet Benville, Millard Ave., Newmarket, arrived in Newmarket Sunday morning. He is at present living with his wife in Cedar Valley. SPO Benville has served with the Royal Canadian Navy for four years both ashore and afloat. He served on both the east and west coasts and was for a while stationed at St. John's, Newfoundland. He has had 20 months of convoy duty.

### THINGS PRETTY GOOD, SOLDIERS WRITE HOME

"Things are going pretty good here at present and I am still in the best of health and hope you are too," Spr. E. G. Thompson writes the Newmarket Veterans' Soldiers' Comforts fund from Somewhere in Germany in appreciation for a carton of gum sent him. "The weather here has really been good the past week, just like summer."

"I expect to be coming home now very shortly. I am about the second man on the list for home leave. It will possibly be a couple of months before I get away. I am sure looking forward to it but I can't see this war lasting so very much longer. The news certainly has been good the last while, but it was too bad about President Roosevelt."

"I am once again in hospital as I have been slightly wounded, so your parcel was very much appreciated," Pte. W. Connell writes the Veterans.

"By the look of things quite a few of us boys will be back home before long," Harold Gadsby writes the Veterans. "Those of us that do get home I'm sure will want to thank you in person."

## Highlights Of The War

After nearly six years of war, Germany surrendered to the Allies at Rheims on May 7. Printed below are highlights of the war period:

1939  
Sept. 1—Germany invaded Poland.  
Sept. 3—Britain and France declared war on Germany.  
Sept. 10—Canada declared war on Germany.

1940  
May 30—British evacuated Dunkerque.  
June 10—Canada declared war on Italy.  
June 22—German-French armistice agreement signed.  
Sept. 15—R.A.F. repelled German air blitz of Britain, destroying at least 185 planes in day's operations.

Oct. 18—British announced R.A.F. foiled German attempt to invade Britain Sept. 10.

1941  
July 12—Britain and Russia signed agreement for joint action against Germany.

1942  
May 30—More than 1,000 Canadians participated in 1,000-plane raid on Cologne.

Aug. 18—Canadians led attack on Dieppe.

Sept. 6—Axis' eastward drive stopped at El Alamein.

Oct. 24—British 8th Army started offensive at El Alamein.

1943  
Jan. 18—Seventeen-month siege of Stalingrad broken.  
May 13—Axis resistance in Africa ended.  
July 10—Canadian, British and American troops invaded Sicily.

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For three months ended March 31, 1945  
NEWMARKET 1,127 TRADING AREA 1,291  
OTHERS 873 (INCLUDING HALF-PRICE SOLDIERS' SUBSCRIPTIONS)  
TOTAL PAID 3,259

# SAY THANKS WITH BONDS

## Announce Good News With Bells, Whistles; Parade On Tuesday

Newmarket celebrated V-E day Tuesday with parades, public services, a bonfire and public dance at the military camp. By 10 a.m., Main St. was lined its length by men, women and children. Many carried flags and cameras were much in evidence.

The parade was formed at the north end and came down Main St. and marched into Lions park where a platform had been set up. The spectators of the parade followed it to the park, making one of the largest gatherings ever witnessed in town. A public address system had been set up. The weather was windy but the sun shone. The uniforms of the parade participants, the flags waving in the wind, the bright sun, made the scene one to remember.

The parade came down Main St. shortly after 10.30. It was led by a police car driven by Acting Chief Constable Jas. Leeder. Following his car was one driven by Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales. Behind the two cars came Principal H. A. Jackson, flanked by two flags carried by public school pupils and followed by the pupils of the three public schools. The youngest pupils came first, each carrying a flag.

Then followed the pupils of St. John's school wearing blue and red uniforms. One of the pupils carried a small drum on which he struck the marching time. In turn came the pupils of Ravenshoe S.S. 9, Queensville, Union Street S.S. 8, and S.S. 3, each school identified by a banner carried by the pupils.

Scoutmaster Bert Budd led the Cubs, followed by the Brownies under the leadership of Zilpah Lavender. The Boy Scouts were next, with the veterans of this war and the last following behind them. The air cadets followed the veterans and in turn were followed by the pupils of the high school. The Newmarket Lions club marched by carrying a banner of celebration, followed by the fire truck carrying firemen and with its siren sounding.

Behind the fire truck came several other trucks, all gaily decorated with bunting and carrying cargo of children. As the trucks passed down Main St. at a walking pace, small boys lining the street darted out and climbed aboard them. One truck pulled an effigy of Hitler standing upright on a trailer.

Two guides led the military detachment down Main St. Both tall men, they walked with a swinging pace. Behind them, midway between them and the band, two small boys walked

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Monday morning the news was abroad. "Authentic but unofficial" reports from Europe stated that the German nation had surrendered unconditionally. It was not until 3 p.m. that Newmarket officially signalled its recognition of the news with the clamor of factory whistles and church bells and the sound of the horns of motor cars racing up and down Main St. The town bell behind the fire hall, silent for many years, joined its clamor to the whistles and horns.

The news of the German surrender reached Main St. around 10 a.m. by way of telephone calls from radio listeners. The first general reaction after the immediate excitement at the news of the surrender was passed was to prepare to decorate. There was a rush to those stores that carried flags. Store windows were cleaned of their goods on display and flags and posters, pictures of Allied leaders took their place.

Main St. was quiet with no more than its usual Monday morning stir during the early part of the day. It continued that way until close to 3 in the afternoon. There was considerable uncertainty as to authenticity of the radio news. There was no denial of the news but there had been no confirmation from Allied headquarters. Despite the fact that a large part of the country began its celebrations before Monday noon, the general consensus in Newmarket seemed to be to wait until Prime Minister Churchill or General Eisenhower made an official announcement before beginning any demonstration.

As it became evident that the prime minister of England would not be speaking Monday, it was arranged to signal the beginning of festivities by blowing of factory whistles at 3 p.m. Church bells joined in even while the post office clock was still sounding the hour. Main St. was lined with citizens, many of them carrying flags, and a double line of traffic moved up and down Main St. with horns blowing. Many of the cars carried flags. All the stores and offices on Main St. were flying flags and many of the houses off the Main St. flew flags in honor of the occasion.

By 4 o'clock the crowd had thinned and with the exception of the flags on the store fronts and the occasional car travelling the street with its horn blowing, Main St. again appeared normal. The doors of the churches in town were opened early Monday morning and remained open throughout the day. There were services Monday night. Ministers reported full churches for the services.

Generally speaking, there seemed to be no feeling of unrestrained festivity. The news of the surrender came as an anti-climax. Everyone was aware of its nearness, it seemed to be only a matter of arrangement. Except for the whistle blowing at 3 p.m., there was little demonstration. No effigies of Hitler were burned. There was no dancing in the streets. There were none of the stunts that marked the celebrations in larger centres of the country.

Newmarket accepted the final news rather calmly, had a brief half-hour of whistles and bells and went home. Generally celebrations followed a course planned in advance. Citizens recognized that the war with Japan had still to be won, that there were critical years yet ahead in which the peace had to be secured. It was with a sense of sober relief rather than unrestrained rejoicing that the first news of the German surrender was received.

### LIONS FIRST BIRTHDAY

Aurora Lions held a Health Night on Tuesday evening with Dr. Patterson of the Banting Institute giving a talk on The Social Health Plan. He was introduced by Dr. Crawford Rose. The occasion also marked the first anniversary of the club. President Frank Underhill was in the chair.

### DONATION RECEIVED

A donation of \$1 has been received by the Newmarket Veterans' Association Comforts fund from Max Fines, Bolton Ave.

## INVEST IN THE BEST PUBLIC SERVICES SOUND

With only a short time to go, returns from Eighth Victory Loan salesmen are far below the necessary totals. A combination of bad weather and the excitement of V-E Day has slowed sales.

Loan figures as of Wednesday show that Newmarket has a total of \$214,550 with an objective of \$360,000. Other loan figures are: Aurora, total, \$138,500, objective, \$220,000; Georgina twp., total, \$37,000, objective, \$70,000; N. Gwill, total, \$81,450, objective, \$80,000; E. Gwill, \$123,250, objective, \$175,000; King twp., total, \$226,950, objective, \$270,000; Whitchurch, total, \$113,450, objective, \$165,000.

Loan officials have noted a tendency of bond buyers to feel that now that the war in Europe is over, there is no need for bonds to be bought. They point out that though the need for munitions of war has slackened, there is still the cost of rehabilitation measures and the policing of Germany to be met.

Citizens of York County North are urged to make every effort to achieve their loan objectives. "Say thanks with bonds" has been made the slogan for the closing days of the loan. If the words of gratitude that were spoken during V-E Day are sincere, here is an opportunity to prove it by buying all the bonds possible and then buying one bond more.

## Camp Trains On Monday, Marks V-E Day Tuesday

By BERNIE GANTNER

Training went on as usual at Newmarket camp on Monday, May 7, the eventual day announcement of Germany's unconditional surrender came over the air waves. While the populace of the large cities, towns and villages ceased work on learning of the cessation of hostilities, the soldiers at No. 23 carried on with their daily routine without elaborate celebrations.

Personnel had just completed a five-minute "break", given at the end of each 45 minutes of training, when the sirens and the bells of the town were heard at 3 p.m. Those who knew the significance of the bells and sirens sent up lusty cheers but full acclamation came only at the official announcement made by Lieut.-Col. Newton M. Young to the entire camp hours later in the drill hall.

The commanding officer's announcement was received calmly at first. However, a spontaneous outburst greeted completion of his address. Tuesday was declared a holiday for the camp. The extent of the camp's activities for the day was a parade of all ranks to Lion's Park for V-E Day ceremonies staged by the citizens of Newmarket.

In the evening, the men, n.e.o.s and officers of the camp played host to the civilians of the town. A stage production entertained an overflowing audience. This concert was sponsored by the Lions club in aid of the Eighth Victory Loan drive. More than 2,500 people jammed into the drill hall for this function.

With the permission of the camp commandant, a dance followed the show. For the famished sandwiches and coffee were provided free of charge. The girls of the C.W.A.C. from the men's canteen, officers' and sergeants' messes, played a very prominent part in the handling of food and refreshments. Their work was immensely appreciated.

### HOME AFTER FIVE YEARS



Gnr. C. E. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Johnson, Huron St. East, arrived home Saturday after five years of service overseas. Shortly before leaving Germany, he had a reunion with his brother, Sgt. W. F. Johnson.

### CLINIC MAY 25

May 25 is the date of the next blood donors' clinic in Newmarket. The clinic will be held as usual in Trinity United church and prospective donors are asked to phone 250 or the town clerk's office to make an appointment. Red Cross officials point out that while the war in Europe is over, large quantities of blood plasma are still required for the Pacific war and for treatment of wounded in Europe.

### OVER TOP IN LOAN, CAMP AIMS HIGHER

By BERNIE GANTNER

No. 23 has done it again. With three days remaining, the soldiers up at "category" bill have surpassed their objective in the Eighth Victory Loan. Not only have they attained their \$82,000 quota, but indications are that a total of \$120,000 will be realized before the end of the present drive.

As of Wednesday, a total of \$101,850 had been subscribed for by 934 applicants and sales are still going strong. No doubt Major A. H. Adams, committee head, and Lieut. F. White, sales manager, will spur their capable sales staff on to greater heights during the last few hours of the rally in an endeavor to achieve camp recognition for the best effort in Military District No. 2.

### PHONE WIRES BUSY

C. E. Blossdale, manager of the Bell Telephone office in Newmarket, said that on Monday and Tuesday the volume of calls through the telephone switchboard far exceeded the normal rate. "We called back the operators and had the board positions full," he said. "It was certainly a busy time for us."

### SERVED IN INDIA



Flt.-Lieut. Jack Malcolm, son of Mrs. H. E. Saxon, arrived home Monday for 30 days' leave after three and a half years' service overseas. Flt.-Lieut. Malcolm served in India for two years.

### INJURED OVERSEAS



On May 3, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lindenbaum received word that their son, Sgt. Albert Lindenbaum, was reported seriously ill. A later report from national defence headquarters said that he was progressing satisfactorily.

A short time later, Mr. and Mrs. Lindenbaum received the following letter of explanation from their son: "On April 16, I was in a car accident. A truck hit my jeep and I was shaken up quite a bit and suffered three broken ribs. It happened right in Brussels so I was rushed into a general hospital where I received the best of attention. I had met the colonel of the hospital at a lodge affair in Brussels previously and both of us being Masons didn't do me any harm."

"I was flown back to England on the 28th and am now in the 24th Canadian General hospital. Jack Patterson from Newmarket is a doctor here. I really am getting along very well and feel exceptionally good. To tell the truth, I have never had such a good rest as I am having now since I have been in the army."

### SGT. DENNIS DAVIES ARRIVES IN ENGLAND

Sgt. Dennis Davies, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Davies, Prospect St., has arrived in England after escaping from the Germans who have held him captive since the Dieppe action.

Sgt. Davies was being held in Slating 2D. As the Allied armies approached the camp, the camp personnel were made to march towards the interior by the German captors. Sgt. Davies is believed to have made his escape during the march. The cable telling of his release came on Sunday.

### WIN BONDS IN DRAW

Printed below are the winners of victory bonds at the draw at the Eighth Victory Loan show at Newmarket camp on May 8. The draw was sponsored by the Lions club. The number of the ticket is first with the name of the winner following.

5054, Miss M. Clarke, 51 Manor Rd., Toronto; 5590, Joe Quinn, Newmarket; 4032, W. W. A. Trench, Richmond Hill; 10444, Lieut. Robinson, Newmarket military camp; 4153, Mrs. Garfield Newton, Newmarket; 5513, F. Hoover, Richmond Hill; 9322, L. E. Elock, Newmarket military camp; 2601, Hilton B. Simpson, Port Perry; 9773, A. E. Viet, Newmarket military camp; 1857, Wayne Manning, Newmarket.

### TO HOLD SERVICE

A memorial service will be held by the Newmarket Veterans' Association at 3 p.m. on Sunday at the Cenotaph. Rev. Henry Cotton will conduct the service. Relatives of those who are serving or have served are especially invited.

### NAVY LEAGUE TO MEET

A general meeting of the Newmarket committee of the Navy League will be held at the United church on May 15 at 8 p.m. Everyone interested in this work should be there. The past year's work will be reviewed and plans in view of the present war situation discussed. Arrangements for the tag day on May 28 will be completed.

## NOTE OF THANKSGIVING AS TOWNSFOLK ASSEMBLE

Public services at Lions club park Tuesday morning, V-E Day morning, were thanksgiving services. Speaker after speaker emphasized the sober note of gratitude to the men and women of the armed services, recognition of the sacrifices of those who did not live to see victory, the need to continue in the faith that brought victory, the battle to secure the peace.

There was no glorification of the victors' pride. There was none of the arrogance of a proven superior. The men and women and children of Newmarket who gathered for the services had, many of them, counted the cost of victory in sorrow and loss. They know the price that had been paid. Those who gathered for the services were humbly grateful the price had not been higher.

Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales was chairman of the service. Seated with him on the platform were veterans of this war and the last, clergymen, representatives of town organizations which had worked at home for the comfort of those overseas.

"It is a great day for Canada, a great day for Canadians," said Mayor Dales. "But our happiness, our relief, our rejoicing, is tempered with sadness at the many losses that have been suffered that you and I might live as free men and women. I ask you to join with me in observing a one-minute silence in memory of those who laid down their lives in the cause of freedom."

Rev. Henry Cotton followed the one minute of silence with a prayer in which he said "it is our privilege to honor those who fought for us, those who died for us, to acknowledge the debt we owe them. In our rejoicing let us remember the loss and the sorrow suffered by those about us." Rev. Cotton then led in the singing of Abide With Me.

Capt. Aubrey Davis spoke next and suggested in his address that as a memorial to those from Newmarket who served in the armed forces, a new municipal building be erected to be named the "Crusader Memorial Building." He said there was the same crusading spirit among the men and women who left Newmarket to serve as there had been among the knights of old.

Lieut.-Col. Newton M. Young followed Capt. Davis. He spoke of the pride and thankfulness that was felt at the news that Germany had surrendered and praised the part Newmarket had played in making No. 23 a success. He thanked the citizens' committee for the work they had done for the camp. He said that the men returning from overseas were not seeking charity. "They are not subjects for charity," he declared. He urged that there be proper administration of gratuities and understanding of the needs of the men coming home.

Mrs. W. R. Stephens, president of the Newmarket Red Cross, urged that the sacrifices made in the war not be wasted. "We must continue to work tirelessly towards a peaceful world, a world brotherhood."

Rev. G. H. Johnson, D.D., said "We have fought evil to preserve our times. Had we lost, we would have retrogressed many hundreds of years. We have won and we have the opportunity to go ahead. We must make sure that those who have died will not have died in vain."

Headmaster Joseph McCulley.

Pickering College, said that Canada was threatened with a lack of faith on the part of its citizens. "We doubt our own capacity, we lack faith in Canada. Let us rededicate ourselves to the building of a better world."

President Alfred Smith of the Newmarket Veterans' Association said that he hoped the veterans of this war would receive a better treatment than the veterans of the last war had received. President Herman E. Gilroy of the Lions spoke of the work done by the Lions on behalf of bomb victims and men and women overseas. "We are happy indeed to join in these celebrations," he said.

Dr. W. D. Muckle ended the services with a few words and led the gathering in the saying of the Lord's Prayer.

### NEWMARKET BOY LIES IN BELGIUM CEMETERY

The May 5 issue of the Blue Bell, the house organ of the Bell Telephone Co., carried on its first page a picture of the grave of FO John Ivan Atkins, son of Herbert Atkins, Newmarket, FO Atkins was reported killed in action in December, 1944. He was attached to an R.A.F. night bombing squadron.

His grave is near Antwerp, Belgium, in what appears to be a cemetery for Allied troops. The grave appears well cared for and is marked by a simple white cross with FO Atkins' name on it.

### RED CROSS SHIPMENT

The following shipment went forward to headquarters from the Newmarket Red Cross in the month of April: 20 girls' sweaters, 20 boys' sweaters, 30 infants' sets, five infant sweaters, 15 knitted baby sets, ten knitted shirts, 20 baby bonnets, 30 prs. knitted booties, five prs. baby mittens.

### SOFTBALL NOTICE

All girls wishing to play ball this season are asked to be on hand Tuesday evening, May 15, at Stuart Scott school grounds at 7 p.m. sharp.

## COMING EVENTS

Tuesday, May 15—Dance at Sharon hall. Admission 35 cents. Cafeteria lunch. \*1w15

Thursday, May 17—Newmarket Veterans' bingo in town hall, Newmarket, at 8 p.m. Free jack pot game for \$21. Good prizes. Lots of fun. Proceeds for the elgaret and welfare funds. Admission 35 cents. \*2w15

Thursday, May 17—Bingo in town hall under the auspices of the Newmarket Veterans' Association in aid of the Soldiers' Comforts fund. Good prizes. Jackpot \$21. Special games and free games. Bingo starts at 8 p.m. Admission 35c. \*1w15

Friday, May 18—David Lewis, B.A. (Oxon), C.C.F. national secretary, will speak at a public meeting, Newmarket town hall, at 8.15 p.m. Lewis is one of Canada's outstanding orators. Major A. H. Woods, C.C.F. federal candidate, and Geo. H. Mitchell, provincial candidate, will also speak. Auspicious Newmarket C.C.F. \*2w15

Friday, May 18—L.O.B.A. Sixteenth Birthday dance at Belhav-

on hall. There will be six spot dances. Special birthday dance prize. Lucky draw. Miller's orchestra. Admission 35c. Cafeteria. \*2w15

Saturday, May 19—The girls of a senior public school class invite you to attend a Victory Tea in the Stuart Scott school, Newmarket, from 3 to 5 p.m. Proceeds are to aid the funds for Milk for Britain. \*1w15

Saturday, May 19—Opening dance of the season at Wilcox Lake Community hall. Bill Smith's orchestra, Toronto, will provide the music. Ross Black, floor manager. Everybody welcome. Dancing 9-12. \*2w15

Thursday, May 31—Lilac tea, apron, white elephant and bake sale. In basement St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. Come and bring your friends. \*6w12  
Dancing at Middlebrook air-conditioned dance hall at Armistice every Wednesday evening to Bill Smith's orchestra of Toronto. This orchestra played at Wilcox Lake Pavilion in last season. Modern and old time dancing with Ross Black, floor manager. \*1w15



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## V-E DAY

After nearly six years of war, it has come, the unconditional surrender of Germany. The news was not unexpected. Once the western allies had crossed the Rhine, once Russia stood at the doorway of Berlin, we knew that it would only be a matter of days and hours before the news came. We heard so many rumors, so many false reports, that when the surrender was first reported over the radio, we waited for assurances before accepting the news as truth.

The first reaction to the news seemed to be one of relief that the anxiety and waiting were over. It was followed by a feeling of jubilation which in turn was submerged by a feeling of humility and thanksgiving. There was sober recognition of battles still to be fought. There was the realization that while there had been victory in Europe, it had been a victory of arms. A surrender had been signed, but it was recognized that a lasting peace did not follow of its own accord. We have succeeded in the first phase of the war; we have conquered the enemy that sought to destroy us. Now we must make sure that the peace which follows his defeat will be a lasting one in which all nations shall live in friendliness.

Newmarket has not suffered materially from the war. Its homes have not been blasted by bombs, its children not slain from the air. No foe has marched up Main St. with his bayonet fixed. There is no visible damage that might be attributed to the war. Newmarket paid its share of victory not in material possessions but in the lives and hopes and health of its young men and women. The scars left by war in Newmarket are not visible to the stranger. They are found in the loneliness of a house where only women are left, in the empty chair at the dinner table, in the aching memory of a mother or wife who mourn a loss that nothing can replace.

It was with the thought of those who will not return that the people of Newmarket joined in the public services of thanksgiving. There was an awareness of the cost of war and the determination that war must not happen again. The steadfastness of our service men and women in battle has given us a priceless example to follow in the securing of peace.

## A WORTHY SUGGESTION

Inevitably, the citizens of Newmarket will wish to commemorate those who served from this town with something more than words. Capt. Aubrey Davis suggested Tuesday that a municipal building be erected as a memorial. His suggestion, is worthy of something more than passing consideration. Such a building, sadly needed in Newmarket, would through its very use, keep green the memories of those who served so nobly as well as providing a material recognition of the gratitude of the town.

The men and women who fought for us do not ask that their sacrifices be noted on a shaft of stone and early forgotten. They fought not only to defeat an aggressor but to usher in a new era of peace and happiness. From all that they have written and said, we believe they would feel a lasting satisfaction in the thought that a mem-

## TURN ON THE LIGHTS

By GOLDEN GLOW

How marvellous it must have been in Britain when once again the lights were turned on! Over here we simply can't realize what it was like over there all these years of the blackout. We can imagine a whole lot but we did not have to live in it like you Canadian boys and girls overseas. In a mild—very mild—way we know. We all felt so relieved when once again the light in the town clock on the post office came on.

It wasn't off because of danger of the enemy. We, here in Newmarket, did not have to observe the blackout you know. On the contrary, it was for the sake of economy. We had to conserve electricity because of increased war work. If we missed the light in the post office here in our small town, what must it have been over there with all the lights out?

Along the coast and up the St. Lawrence, naturally, they had to observe the blackout but inland we were asked only to turn off lights we were not using and to refrain from lighting up Christmas trees until this last Christmas when we were allowed to light them once again, and was it ever grand to see them after being without so long.

We have been on tip toe of expectation all week, waiting for V-E Day. You, overseas, have likely heard of the false rumors Saturday night, April 28. If it came earlier than 8.15 I did not hear it, but as I sat sewing, listening to Lionel Barrymore's Mayor Of The Town, a voice said "we are interrupting this program to bring you a special bulletin, unconditional surrender has just been announced, keep tuned in to this station for further news. We will interrupt any program to

bring you further developments." Naturally I was quite excited—same as everybody else—and I kept tuned in for further developments. At the end of the program, 8.30, the same bulletin was repeated, adding that President Truman was in the White House, with members of the press, with all arrangements made to give out the proclamation. Presently the voice came in again to say that President Truman denied that the end had come. The announcement was traced to an American senator, Tom Connolly, at the San Francisco conference, but he refused to divulge the source of his information. So the excitement all over, I called it a day and went to bed.

But we have been anxiously awaiting the end of hostilities and we all try to tune in to every newscast available, housecleaning and gardening and anything that takes us too far away from our radio is just having to wait for "a more convenient season". Such wonderful news! One section of the continent surrendering after the other, prisoner of war camps overrun and lists of names of released captives, now safe in the United Kingdom, are scanned for well-remembered names. Anybody who owns a high silk hat, for dress-up reasons, had better get it out and brushed up, for surely V-E Day can't be far off. Surely it will come before this gets into print! I am writing it early so that if V-E Day comes this week, Mr. Editor and staff can "leave the dishes in the sink" same as the rest of us intend to do so we can celebrate!

## 25 YEARS AGO

From The Era and Express files, May 7, 1920

Mrs. Fairbairn of Bethaven has bought the residence of H. Nicholson on Strigley St. and Mr. Nicholson

## In Passing

On historical occasions such as the public services of thanksgiving for victory in Europe on Tuesday, the children are too often forgotten. This is especially regrettable for it is in the memory of children that the significance of the events will live the longest. Therefore it was particularly thoughtful of Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales to show the consideration and attention to children during the course of the ceremonies that he did. The more children are able to participate in such occasions, the higher the quality of citizenship will become. The mayor's recognition of them and the part they played in the celebrations is very much to their credit.

son has bought the residence of Mrs. Will Cain on Niagara St. Thornton Bales has purchased the bakery property belonging to Cecil Simpson on Main St., occupied by Mr. Scott who has a lease for three years. Owing to change of ownership of the property, Messrs. Galbraith and Son are out of business. The Farmers' club has also bought the livery building adjoining. Brunton's store has a new awning, also Lyons' candy shop. The residence of Mr. Stewart was badly damaged by fire yesterday morning. Scarcely any furniture was saved. Luke Lyons, the new butcher at the north end, was the first to arrive at the fire hall with his car and he drew the first reel to the fire. There was a good market last Saturday, principally butter and eggs. Eggs are going up in price and are 48 to 50 cents a dozen. Butter was 65 to 68 cents a pound. The Farmers' special on the Metropolitan was well patronized. Jos. Haddon has made a great improvement in his house on Lot St. since he took possession about three weeks ago. He has made a new foundation, new kitchen and interior changes. The office building of the Office Specialty Co. on Main St. is being brightened by a new coat of paint. Let everybody have a potato patch this summer—\$5 potatoes will disappear if you do. MARRIED—On April 14, 1920, by Rev. Mr. Murphy of All Saints' church, Toronto, Isabel Smart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Smart, Schomberg, to Frederick Willis, son of Mrs. Wm. Willis, Toronto. MARRIED—At St. Paul's church, Newmarket, on May 5, 1920, by Rev. Capt. McConigle, Mr. Percy Scott, Toronto, to Miss Lillian Thompson of Newmarket.

## RE-EDUCATION OF GERMANY

By ORVILLE GANTON

Two principles are common ground in the hotly-contested question: "What shall we do with Germany?" The first is that revenge is an out-dated, medieval passion and the revenge of today invites the revenge of tomorrow. Secondly, we may talk as much as we like about curbing Germany by force but nearly everybody sees that they have sooner or later to be educated to a sounder international adjustment.

In further discussing this re-education, the manner and the time it may take, we get a babel of guesses and speculation. We all admit that until there has been a careful research after the German surrender, we do not know what proportion of the population has been so deeply tainted; what proportion has been floated with the stream or heil-Hitlered when they saw a big profit to Germany, and what proportion merely kept silent and conformed outwardly. This last body will offer a good basis to work on, even if only a few million. But the second category also must be taken into account. It will not be difficult to persuade them now that they were tragically fooled by a bunch of criminals. There will remain the very large and stubborn problem of the generation which was steeped in Nazism and never knew a serious alternative. These are the youths, 17 to 24, who still brag and bully in our prisoner-of-war camps.

There is yet no evidence what proportion of these are still Nazi in every fibre. Not the least has been made of the opportunity to sort them out while they were prisoners. The rabid Nazi bullies in the camps were allowed an astonishing power. If we keep these common sense considerations in mind we shall not talk about needing to control Germany for "years if not generations". If we entrust the education to sound Germans—there are plenty, both in Germany and in exile, with both ability and as stern a hatred of aggression as we have—we shall probably find the job lighter than is generally supposed. Russia has already corrected the mentality of hundreds of thousands of German prisoners.

Once Germany is totally disarmed, which will not take long, it will be absurd to dream of revolt. In these days of military aviation Germany can easily be kept peaceful from the Polish, Russian, Czechoslovak and French frontiers as long as plotters have to depend on small, secret stores of Tommy guns. However, if power politicians and international monopolists again supply them with arms that is another question entirely.

## 50 YEARS AGO

From The Era and Express files, May 10, 1895

Commencing next Wednesday, Main St. is to be watered from Water St. to the railway crossing as well as 60 feet on each side street intersecting Main St.

Danford Roche and Co. show a nice variety of floor oil cloths four yards wide. Carpets and wall papers are moving lively these days. The grand assortment of wall papers would surprise you. Wall papers 3, 4 and 5 cents a roll and up to 25 cents that some time ago sold at 50 cents.

The town band has started practice in earnest. Preparations are being made to repair the wash-out at the Gorham dam.

A few shade trees were set out about town and at the cemetery last Friday but generally speaking Arbor Day passed without notice.

The sudden rise in the temperature last Sunday took people so much by surprise that the heat felt unbearable. The mercury went to 92 in the shade and 114 in the sun.

The trustees of the Methodist church spent something like \$20 this week fixing up the driving shed, which had gotten somewhat out of plumb, and generally repairing the same.

There was a large crowd of people from Whitechurch, King and East Gwillimbury at Mr. Armitage's farm on Yonge St. last Tuesday to witness the preparation of the mixture and the spraying of fruit trees in the orchard by a man sent out by the Ontario government.

J. Neuhorn has moved back from Toronto and is occupying a house on D'Arcy St.

Singleton Brown, a member of Bracebridge council, was here yesterday inspecting the water-works system.

Quite a number of farmers have finished seeding and are complaining of the dry weather.

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## THE COMMON ROUND

By HARRIS JAMES COVINE

### NEWS

News is a great traveller and has three pairs of wings which she dons on occasion. She has her "gossip" wings which shade from pale grey, through deep grey to black; she has her "facts" wings which are transparent or cloudy white, and she has her "fiction" wings which are rainbow colored.

Long, long ago she had transportation difficulties, her wings had not sprouted and she had to depend on messengers. They could not fly through the air as they do now, nor could they send their voices ringing round the world.

Sometimes fear or excitement or triumph lent wings to their feet—look at David's messengers and Joshua's, look at Paul Revere—history is full of messengers who got through with news, sometimes bad, sometimes good, but always news.

We live in a world so news-conscious that it has become our daily diet; we hear news with our breakfast, with our lunch and with our dinners, and for further refreshment we turn a dial in between and hear a little more gossip, fact or fiction.

Just now we turn our dials and listen feverishly for one thing—the news of Victory. For myself, I hope with fear.

The Nazi beast is being driven to its lair, but what of horror does that fair contain? Beasts when cornered fight with stealth and ferocity and cunning—all ways cunning. Therefore until the heads of the hydra-headed monster that is Nazism are cut off, we cannot breathe easily nor cease to fear what may be hatching in those debased brains.

One thing about news—certain aspects of it at any rate—it gives our brains a chance to gnaw at it as a dog does at a bone. We try to sift the chaff from the wheat and it's as engrossing as a crossword puzzle. Is Hitler dead? If so how, when and where—it's a \$64 question but who knows the answer?

If he has died ALL the deaths attributed to him—suicide, cerebral hemorrhage, shot and what not—there would not be much in any of them to give him a taste of how his victims suffered.

Perhaps the terrible fall from the height to which he had climbed gave him, like a drowning man, a chance to see himself in his true colors—Perhaps! So far we have had only gossip and fiction to tell us of his departure from a world which he polluted. By the time this goes to print we may have facts.

Had we had no radio to bring us news right from the battlefields, war correspondents to

write "on the scene stories" and photographers willing to risk death to give us pictures of battle and the torture chambers and victims of this war, we might have become indifferent here at home.

We have suffered no discomforts, we have seen no horrors and lacking the confirmation of eyes and ears, we might, in our smug comfort, have branded all horror stories and stories of suffering as propaganda.

Had this been the case we wouldn't have subscribed to war loans, we wouldn't have given to the Red Cross, we wouldn't have knelt and served for the Red Shield.

We could not remain aloof or callous in the face of cumulative evidence.

We couldn't think of British babies going without milk, of billeted men and women reduced to rags. We saw the pictures of all the suffering millions and we heard that suffering described by reliable eye-witnesses—we heard facts and facts are a splendid foundation on which to build a desire to help—to give and give again.

These days we wait for news of Victory—for so many long dark days we heard only of defeat and disaster and now, what will Victory do to us?

Will it make us so thankful that we will move heaven and earth to help create a new world, or will we lapse into a complacent state of patting our own backs and thinking of all we DID, not of what there is to DO.

With every shout of victory, there is a cry of need; for every joyful reunion there is the bitterness of the sorrow of those who have lost all they held dear; for every home where comfort reigns there is a home or lack of a home, where there is nothing but ruin.

No matter what the glories of Victory may be, and they are and will be glorious—they shine against a background of ruined lands and homes and families, and it is not a matter of gossip or fiction but plain fact that our efforts to help must be speeded up—not retarded.

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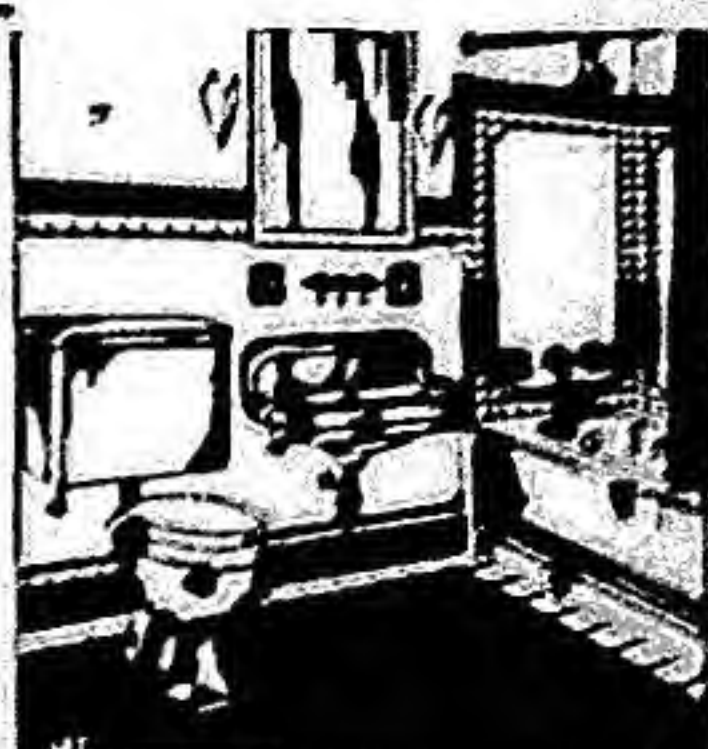
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## DOWN THE CENTRE

We enjoyed reading that article by Orville Ganton a few weeks ago called "Race 'Em, Chase 'Em Talagoos." Orville went back to what are often described as "the good old days" and gave a word picture of the sporting scene in canaltown as it was in the days prior to the last war and as it was after for a short time. The same story might well be recorded about Aurora, Markham, Richmond Hill and other towns and villages throughout North York and Ontario. Perhaps we should have written this direct to Orville but we are sure he won't mind if we air the subject a bit on our own heath.

So far as any comparison is concerned or any analysis, it can not be done if the war years are considered. With manpower the first need, the majority of those who would normally form the athletes of town life are engaged on a more serious job. If we recall rightly, after the last war there was a tremendous boom in sports of all kinds in North York and the 20's produced some of the best competition in many years on practically all sports fronts. We can expect that to happen again.

Many of the boys who come back will want to resume sport where they left off, others will be playing organized sport for the first time. In any case, every municipality is going to need a good program of recreational activities to make the old home town attractive and provide a healthy outlet for pent-up feelings. It has always been our contention that the present generation of young people are as fine as any other generation and as interested in sports. Too often, I think, the past is viewed with roseate glasses that do not give a true perspective of things as they actually were. For one

thing, sports appeal like clothes, household needs, meals and like everything else, changes over the years.

Cricket, for instance, is gone as a sport in Canada except for a limited few. The North American continent has produced baseball and softball, both more in keeping with the trend of sports thought on the American continent. In the main it is still played by the older fellows (mostly of English origin) and by the lads in prep schools which attempt to retain the school spirit of the better English schools. Lacrosse has deteriorated because the leaders of the sport have failed to sell the game to youngsters as Canada's national game. Unless a sport is started among the kids it soon dies a natural death by lack of players and an understanding of the game. It used to be throughout Ontario that grown-ups continued to play lacrosse away into their 30's and even 40's. Now, when a man gets that age he retires to take part in lawn bowling, golf, tennis or simply retire from sports. The over-emphasis on injuries and needless rough play and slashing didn't help to popularize lacrosse as a sport with the mothers of the country either. Lacrosse can come back again but it is going to need a lot of educational work.

Softball has to a large extent been responsible for replacing baseball as a favorite sport. Little equipment is needed, less practice is required and in pre-war days both men and girls' softball was flourishing in Newmarket. Re-organizing softball will need little help. It will be a natural.

After many years baseball has seen the need to start with the kids and the leagues now sponsored throughout North York (flourishing too) will provide the impetus to put this great sport across. The same forward outlook is sweeping across the province. Both softball and baseball need more support in the secondary schools than they are receiving at the present time. Newmarket was one of the few towns that had a baseball league functioning when the war started and it, too, will be easily re-organized.

Hockey is again in the throes of re-organization with the youngsters and from them will come the junior and intermediate teams of the district. Soccer has been dormant for some years because it was allowed to die amongst the farm district and in many of the high schools. It will require considerably more organizing if it is to boom again.

Consider now the attractions that vie with sports today. The movies are available to all and many a sports gate suffers because the girl friend, "the little woman" and John Q. Fan himself want to see their favorite actors in action. Radio keeps many a person from the teens upward home at night, or anxious to get home to listen to comedians, news and plays. Dancing is more prevalent and in peacetime it is nothing for the young bloods to motor miles to jitterbug or listen to a name band. Badminton and bowling, both attractive sports, vie with hockey in the winter time to some degree.

You can have a lot of leisurely fun in warm surroundings. Automobiles take you to the beach, the city or a sporting event miles away. This may make for wider competition but certainly does draw away from sport a number of competitors and supporters. The radio and automobile have brought to your doorstep the best in sports competition and many a person would rather sit home by the radio listening to the fortunes of the Maple Leafs than walk a block to watch local kids play.

Gates have come to determine whether or not a sport will continue. Equipment is expensive, the competitors expect the best in equipment, meals, jobs in many cases and many little favors. Unless a team is winning, the fans won't support it and unless a team gets support at the wicket or coffee pot it can't continue to operate. The only solution appears to be to underwrite kids sports by public funds and develop the boys to a stage where the fans will want to come and see them play. Along about that stage the big city or another town puts the snatch on your best players and if you are to compete with even your neighbors you have to do likewise. Entering teams in leagues where they can compete on equal terms seems to be the best answer to this. Forget big championships and be "a big toad in a small puddle". Another thing that has brought a set-back to many sports is the fact that in place of a good many individuals being interested in a certain sport, the burden of organization, financing and keeping a team going weighs heavily on the shoulders of a few. After a year or two of heartbreaks and undeserved criticism in most cases, those who have been carrying the load call it a day and there is no one left to carry on.

If sport is to survive as it should it will be necessary to make it a real community effort. The engagement of paid supervisors and a full program that spreads out the work among those who will work for a better town will do much to change this viewpoint. It may be difficult to do but if things are to be as you think they should be, this is one of the answers. It will be neces-

sary to develop leaders among those coming up through the various sports. There is no reason that year after year the same people should be running things unless they are doing a bang up job. Give new blood, new enthusiasm a chance but most important of all, keep your eyes peeled on who will be able to take over if John Doe moves away or gives up the ghost.

Sport for the many in place of sport for the few must be the main idea behind everything. Informal sport, requiring little organization or equipment is needed in place of so much formal or highly developed sport. If you can get that you won't have to worry about formal sport or winning titles. That will be a by-product. Remember, too, that your potential cash customers of the future are those boys and girls you are providing sport for today.

In one of his famous speeches, Winston Churchill urged the return to national life of "the village" scheme of things, in which more industry, better housing, more recreation will be provided for the smaller centres and there will be less of a movement towards the city. Whether or not this can be accomplished remains to be seen but good community programs are definitely a step towards this. I don't think any of us would want to go back to yesteryear (in any case we can't), as Conrad found out in that remarkable book, *Conrad in Quest Of His Youth*, so let's make the best of what we have and plan for the future.

Perhaps we'll never be able to regain that community spirit and those pictures of other days so well portrayed by Mr. Ganton in his article but we can regain a certain amount of it pitched in the tempo of the times. We have made a big start with the re-

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### SNOWBALL

#### MRS. H. MILLS IS SNOWBALL W.I. HEAD

The Snowball Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. H. Patrick on April 25. Mrs. C. Copson gave a timely talk on "What Our Boys Want To Come Back To." Five dollars was voted to the Canadian National Institute For The Blind and \$5 to the sugar fund for jam for Britain. Boxes for the boys overseas are to be packed immediately. The ladies decided to support the Aurora paper salvage campaign. This was the annual meeting and reports were given by the convenors of all standing committees.

The following officers were elected: hon. presidents, Mrs. Leo Cull, Mrs. E. S. Reddick; president, Mrs. H. Mills; past pres., Mrs. Raymond Haines; 1st vice-pres., Mrs. Patrick; 2nd vice-pres., Mrs. Ridley; sec.-treas., Mrs. Geo. Morton; dist. director, Mrs. Patrick; directors, Miss H. Webb, Mrs. Reddick, Mrs. R. Haines;

Convenors, program and publicity, Mrs. Reddick; war work, Mrs. W. Farren; work committee, Mrs. Patrick, Mrs. Ridley, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. E. Copson, Mrs. N. Mitchell; agriculture and Canadian industries, Mrs. F. Williams; home economics, Mrs. H. Morning; historical research, Mrs. N. Mitchell; citizenship, Mrs. C. Copson; social welfare, Mrs. W. Storey; flower committee, Miss Webb, Mrs. Barr, Mrs. Davison, Mrs. E. Copson; war historian, Mrs. Mills; liaison officer, Mrs. Reddick; pianists, Mrs. E. Copson, Mrs. Davison; auditors, Mrs. Barr, Mrs. Davison.

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## FAMILY ALLOWANCES

### AND INCOME TAX

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The Family Allowances Act was designed to help equalize opportunities for all children, and when the Act was passed, Parliament approved the principle that there should be no duplication of benefits by way of Family Allowances and Income Tax credits for the same child. An amendment to the Income War Tax Act will be made to deal with this duplication. In the meantime, however, the Govern-

ment proposes, for the last six months of 1945 during which Family Allowances are payable, to remove duplication by adjusting the income tax credits received for children.

It is natural that parents in the low income groups will be expected to receive maximum benefits from Family Allowances. Partial benefits will be received, however, by parents with incomes up to \$3,000.

The table below shows the effect of the adjustments which the Government has decided to make. For convenience and simplicity the benefits received by each income group are shown as a per cent of the Family Allowances received. The table shows:

#### TABLE SHOWING EFFECT OF ADJUSTMENT FOR 1945

AMOUNT OF TAXABLE INCOME	Percent by which taxpayers will benefit from Family Allowances (in addition to present income tax credits, for 1945).	
	Not over \$1200	Over \$1200 but not over
Over \$1200 but not over 1400	100%	90%
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" 3000	10%	0%

NOTE:—This table applies to married persons and others having the status of married persons for income tax purposes. For the relatively small number of single persons supporting children and not having married status for income tax purposes, and for members of the Armed Forces, special tables can be obtained from the Regional Director of Family Allowances in each provincial capital.

### Family Allowances will be paid in full

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Where there are more than four children under 16 in the family, the monthly allowance for each child after the fourth will be reduced in accordance with the provisions of the Family Allowances Act.

As far as is possible, to take care of the adjustments necessary to avoid duplication of benefits, current income tax deductions at the source will be adjusted to take into account the new situation when Family Allowance payments commence. This will avoid placing an awkward burden on the taxpayers at the end of the year.

### FAMILY ALLOWANCES ARE NOT TAXABLE

Special attention is drawn to the fact that the income ranges used in the table above refer to taxable income, and any amounts received as Family Allowances should not therefore be included in calculating income for this purpose because Family Allowances are not taxable.

Family Allowances are also additional to dependents' allowances for servicemen's families and military pensions.

For children registered after July 1st, 1945, Family Allowances will be paid as from the month following the month when registration is made. Family Allowances are not paid retroactively.

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### NOTE THESE TWO EXAMPLES

1. Family with two children, ages 6 and 8, with total income during 1945 of \$1200.

TOTAL FOR SIX MONTHS OF 1945

First Child : : : \$36.00  
Second Child : : : 36.00  
\$72.00

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2. Family with two children, ages 6 and 8, with total income during 1945 of \$1950.

TOTAL FOR SIX MONTHS OF 1945

First Child : : : \$36.00  
Second Child : : : 36.00  
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Amount refundable, being less of income tax credits : 28.00

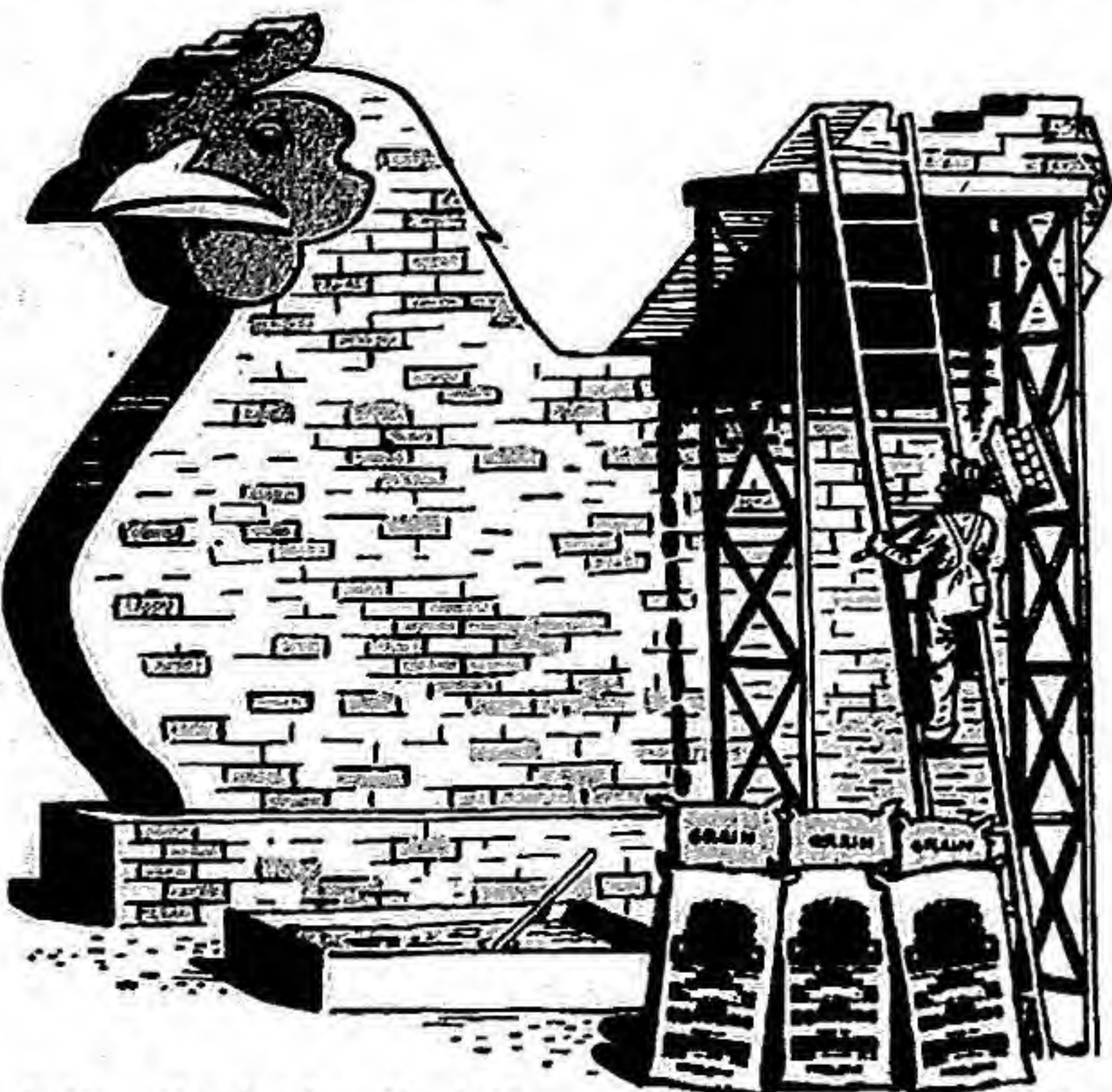
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is Mrs. Evans, Mrs. E. Pegg, Mrs. Barker and Mrs. Boyd.

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A GUIDE TO CAREERS

By H. J. RUSSELL, M.R.S.T., PICKERING COLLEGE

ARTICLE THREE

For many years the schools of the nation paid comparatively little attention to what was going on in the world of occupations. They had their set subjects and courses; students were passed from one grade to another; they chose their courses blindly and so little information was available that bewildered parents could not help their children very much in the matter of choice; the students failed or passed and the day came finally when they began to look for work or to go to work.

The schools of today are different. They are more aware of the demands of the outside world. Educational officials in large centres have noticed that business corporations with a turnover of millions yearly are at some pains to see how their products stand up in the markets and to learn the opinions of consumers. Educators now realize that with a taxpayers' investment of millions for the education of young people, it is not a wise thing to let them go without any inquiry as to how their graduates get along when school days are over. And so we have vocational guidance, and counselling, and placement co-operation with employers, and follow-up inquiries concerning progress.

This is as it should be, but many snags are encountered. Teachers will need time to work out the new ideas effectively; some parents are doubtful or even hostile; students are sometimes resentful and sometimes they are indifferent and contemptuous.

Said Jack: We spent a whole period today talking about personal appearance and manners. Seems kind of silly to me. "I can't change my appearance and I think my manners are good enough."

Said Walter: Yes, and the other day we spent time talking about co-operation and the sense of responsibility. What's it all got to do with getting through school?

Said Jean: You know, there

may be something in it. Our teacher showed us the actual regulations of a large Canadian company. The manager said he could use them with his classes. They have a personnel director and you have to be interviewed by him before you can take a position with the company. You have to pass an intelligence test and an entrance examination, so perhaps a little practice in school will help us. We are keeping a kind of occupational guide book and here are some of the headings under which this personnel manager checks employees:

Performance: efficiency with which the work is done;

Personal characteristics: appearance, manner, confidence, and ability to hold respect of associates;

Dependability: sincerity, truthfulness, perseverance and loyalty;

Knowledge: knowledge of work resourcefulness and ability to understand;

Executive ability: ability to organize, plan, lead, and to assume responsibility;

Co-operation: ability to work successfully with others; teamwork;

Quality of work: accuracy, amount of waste, thoroughness.

When you come to think of it, the requirements of this company are not much different from what ought to be the requirements of a well organized school. Performance, quality, dependability, appearance and co-operation, can and should be stressed in school as well as out of it. Yes, the schools are changing and perhaps the change is coming at the right time, so sign up for a little more vocational guidance.

ELMHURST BEACH

Mrs. Wm. Pollard has been visiting in Keswick, Belhaven and Elmhurst, and spent an afternoon and evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Pollock.

Though Mrs. Pollard has been ill, she was overjoyed with having a letter from a sister whom she had lost contact with for 30 years and who now lives in Calgary.

Mr. F. Lockerbie was in Toronto this week. He has been kept busy with enquiries for cottage rentals.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Harrison spent Tuesday in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sedore were in Toronto one day last week. Pte. Sherman Sedore, their son, was home from camp

to visit to visit recently.

Mrs. L. Pollock had a long distance call from her nephew in Moncton, N.B., recently.

PINE ORCHARD

Pte. D. J. McCallum, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McCallum, is overseas.

Jack Van Luven, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hope, was wounded while serving on the western front. He is in hospital in England.

Mrs. Chas. Brandon, Jr., and baby son are home from York County hospital.

Mrs. Minnie Wilson is visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Breckon, 3rd con.

Mrs. Jack Pepper and Sandra of Newmarket spent the weekend at the Woodhouse home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Allan, Stouffville, visited relatives on Sunday.

There was a good attendance at the Willing Workers' meeting at the home of Mrs. Gordon McClure on Wednesday, May 2. The meeting opened with the president, Mrs. Needler, in the chair. After singing A Better Day Is Coming, Mrs. G. McClure led in prayer.

Mrs. Earl Toole read the scripture lesson. The minutes and correspondence were read by the secretary, Mrs. E. Johnston.

The ladies planned to have a mothers' choir at the Mother's Day service on May 13 at the church at 2.30 p.m.

The guest speaker, Capt. Arthur Robinson of the Salvation Army, Newmarket, gave a most interesting report of the wonderful work being done by the ladies of the different denominations through the Red Shield War Services. Mrs. Robinson also spoke of the work being done by the women of today.

Mrs. G. McClure conducted a Bible contest. Roll-call was responded to by a Bible incident and location. The meeting closed with Bless Be The Tie That Binds and prayer by Mrs. Robinson.

Lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Geo. Hunt.

Anyone having any perennials to spare suitable for the school garden is asked to kindly advise Mrs. Fred Reid or Miss Betty Spence.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hall, Sharon, and Miss Aleta Widdifield were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schell, Uxbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Norris and John and Miss Faye Grindell, Toronto, spent Sunday at the Grindell home.

WILLOW BEACH

Mrs. Carman Marritt spent a few days in Toronto last week.

Mrs. E. Jacobs hurt her arm and has had to have it in a sling this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Graves visited Mr. Graves' parents over the weekend.

Word has been received from Pte. Fred Graves, who is in England.

The Boys' Comforts club met on Wednesday at Mrs. Aeil Chapman's.

Mrs. Wm. Thompson and relatives are anxiously awaiting news of the liberation of WO W. M. Thompson, who has been a prisoner of war in Germany since 1942.

Mrs. Harlan Huntley and daughter, Mrs. M. Sedore, and Mrs. W. Thompson, attended the service in the United church at Keswick Sunday evening.

RAVENSHOE

Youth Sunday was observed at the afternoon service at Ravenshoe United church on Sunday. Rev. Gordon Lapp delivered a splendid message. There was a good attendance at Sunday-school.

Next Sunday is Mother's Day. A special Mother's Day service will be held. Sunday-school classes will meet following the service. There will also be a baptismal service.

Thomas Laws is not quite so well at the time of writing. Mrs. Devitt was visiting her sister for the weekend.

Rev. and Mrs. Gordon Lapp and Martha had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bray last Tuesday.

The farmers are held up because of so much rain.

The fall wheat is suffering with cold and wet weather.

The ladies of Ravenshoe are planning to paint the basement of the church in the near future.

MAY WEDDING IS

PRETTY EVENT

A pretty wedding was solemnized on Saturday, May 5, by Rev. Henry Cotton, when Verna Marguerite Fairbairn, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fairbairn, Queensville, was united in marriage to Earlby W. Bray, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bray, Newmarket.

The bride was prettily attired in a powder blue wool gabardine suit and white fur neck piece. She carried Sweetheart roses. The bride was attended by Miss Ruth Rogers, Queensville, who was attired in a navy blue ensemble.

The groom was attended by Donald Fairbairn, cousin of the bride.

A buffet luncheon was served by the groom's mother, after which the couple left for Buffalo, N.Y., and other points.

The Era and Express may be purchased in Aurora at Mess, Morning's, Whitelaw's and Wills'.

The governments of Canada and Sweden have agreed to bring into force the International Air Services Transit Agreement—the Two Freedoms agreement—which permits the aircraft of each country to fly across the other's territory without landing and to land for non-traffic purposes.

The Era and Express can be purchased in Newmarket at Spill-ette's, Bolton's, Bell's, Best's and Campbell's.

Buy Victory Bonds  
"SALADA"  
TEA



Now thank we all our God

We join with all Canadians in giving thanks for the Victory in Europe which has delivered us from the perils of dictatorial domination and brutal ruthlessness. Our heartfelt thanks go out to all our fighting men who, by their courage, devotion and sacrifices, have once again made us all proud to be called Canadians.

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Opportunities  
for ALL

YOUR Liberal Government under Mackenzie King has taken practical steps to see that every Canadian after the war shall have a wide-open chance to make a real success of his life. It can be done by giving everybody the opportunity to get ahead faster and go further.

Isn't that what you want — a chance to make your own way IN your own way?

Here are definite, practical steps which the Liberal Government has taken (not just talked about, but taken) to make this Canada a better place to work in and bring up your children.

You will have to decide whether you want the men who devised these measures to carry them through, or whether you wish to entrust your own and your family's future to others.



DR. HON. W. L. MACKENZIE KING, Prime Minister

1 Reconstruction

Plans for jobs for 900,000 more workers than in 1939; and 60,000 more each year as the population grows. Every kind of enterprise will be encouraged. The Liberal Government has already set up the machinery; the Department of Reconstruction.

2 Foreign Trade

Liberal objective: Sixty percent increase in value over Canada's pre-war export trade. This means thousands of jobs, and is based on the number of jobs created by Canada's normal export trade.

3 Credit for Enterprise

The Liberal Government set up the Industrial Development Bank to provide money at low interest for long terms to help enterprising Canadians to develop new business. Another step towards creating full employment.

4 Exports Encouraged

War-torn countries will want to buy tremendous quantities of Canadian goods. To facilitate this, the Liberal Government has set up the Export Credit Insurance Act to do two things: (1) to insure Canadian exporters against loss, and (2) to make loans to foreign governments under contract to Canadian exporters.

5 Farm Improvement Loans

Your Liberal Government has made low interest loans available to farmers to finance their work and make improvements.

6 Guaranteed Markets

To provide farmers with a better wartime income, the Liberal Government made contracts for definite quantities of important products at agreed prices—notably bacon, eggs, cheese and beef. These contracts have worked out so well the Liberal Government extended many for longer periods.

7 Family Allowances

From July next, Family Allowances are to be paid monthly to assist parents in raising their children—\$250,000,000 a year direct spending power in the hands of people who need it most.

8 New Homes for Canadians

The Liberal Government's new \$400,000,000 National Housing Act enables hundreds of thousands of Canadians to own their own homes. In the first year after Germany's defeat, at least 50,000 dwellings will be built.

9 Returning Veterans

Gratuities, benefits and grants of \$750,000,000 will enable men and women of the Armed Services to apply their energies in building the prosperous Canada for which your Liberal Government has been planning.

10 Floor Prices under Fish and Farm Products

To protect farmers and fishermen and to maintain prices, the Liberal Government has provided floor prices under their products. Prosperous farmers and fishermen make a prosperous Canada.

11 Better Labour Conditions

In co-operation with organized Labour, the Liberal Government has confirmed collective bargaining, provided unemployment insurance, appointed labour representatives on government boards. (More than 600,000 workers, because of the Liberal Government's attitude towards Labour and the labour movement, now get annual vacations with pay.)

12 Reduction in Taxation

The Liberal Government will gradually reduce taxation when the European war is over to free spending power and to give Canadians every opportunity for prosperity, employment and freedom.

What you have done in war—you can do in peace. You can do your part by supporting the Liberal Candidate in your constituency.

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THINK of it, good pay . . . wholesome food . . . healthy environment. What better way could YOU spend YOUR vacation?

This year the need is greater than ever—thousands of High School students from all parts of the province, are urgently needed to fill up the Farm Service Camps

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By serving as a Farmerette or Farm Cadet you not only build up your own health but you also make a genuine contribution towards the saving of thousands of tons of food . . . food that means life to millions of people in liberated Europe.

Act NOW! Students who have the necessary standing at school can go to work on a farm AT ONCE and still secure educational credit. See your teacher or principal today or write direct to Director, Ontario Farm Service Force, Parliament Building, Toronto.

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# WE GIVE THANKS



Almighty God we bow in reverence before Thee on this day of VICTORY. It was not by our might that our enemies were overcome but by the strength which Thou didst give us.

We hold in grateful remembrance those who died that we might live.

We thank our men and women of the armed services for their untiring efforts which have brought victory in Europe. We owe a debt that can never be fully repaid.

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## Technicolor Picture Offered Five Winners

Twenty-four correct answers were sent in to this week's classified ad contest.

Wm. Ayers at Patterson's Drug Store drew the five winners. They are: Ada McKinnon, Lois Manning, Mrs. Elias Smart, Mrs. F. Carley, all of Newmarket, and Mrs. R. E. Johnston, R. R. 3, Newmarket. These five winners may pick up their prizes any evening at the Strand theatre.

These five winners may see *Till We Meet Again*, starring Ray Milland and Barbara Britton, and *It Happened Tomorrow*, starring Dick Powell, Linda Darnell and Jack Oakie on Tuesday, May 15, or *Thirty Seconds Over Tokyo*, starring Van Johnson, Robt. Walker, Phyllis Baxter and Spencer Tracy, and *Secret Evidence*, starring Marjorie Reynolds and Charles Quigley.

The correct answers were: appreciates, factory, information, faster, bungalow, equipment, shipping, favorites, boarded and descriptions.

### THIS WEEK'S CONTEST

This week the five double pass winners may attend the Strand theatre either Tuesday, May 22, or Thursday, May 24, when the technicolor production, *Thunderhead—Son of Flicka*, starring Roddy McDowell, Preston Foster and Rita Johnson, is the feature attraction and *Tahiti Nights* is the added feature. The program is the same for both evenings.

Answers to the contest must reach The Era and Express office by 9.30 Tuesday morning. Only one entry will be accepted from any one household or family and the entry must be in the contestant's own handwriting.

Contestants are asked to send their entries in on a slip of paper two and a half inches by four and a half inches (2½" x 4½").

The ten classified words this week have been scrambled. Here they are: CITEACNVN, EELK, SPCD NRSHSAE, EEDDIACR, CT, EERFDFTN, TAAEFMNR, EETFXLR, AAMWNTCH, RR, FEENNGSI, HIGSIET.

## Boxes For Britain Club Sends Large Shipment

The Boxes For Britain club of Newmarket recently shipped the following articles to Toronto for reshipment to England: one afghan, 12 ladies' gowns, six towels, six baby property bags, 12 baby soakers, 12 baby diapers, baby blankets, seven kimonoes, one baby christening robe, 18 baby slips, 18 baby gowns, 12 baby shirts, three baby summer bonnets, 12 knitted baby bonnets, 12 knitted baby booties, 12 knitted baby coats, one pair knitted mitts.

One girl's coat, five girls' dresses, three prs. girls' panties, three girls' slips, one girl's doll, three boys' suits, four prs. boys' combinations, two prs. shoes, one boy's Scotch cap.

## Brigadier Speaks At S.A. Sunday Services

Over 50 Scouts, Cubs and Brownies paraded to the Salvation Army on Sunday morning for divine service.

Capt. A. Robinson conveyed greetings to the visitors, Brigadier and Mrs. Alfred Keith and the famous Dovercourt Women's Trio.

During the morning service the trio sang several numbers. Brig. Keith was in charge of the service and related to the young people the story of Dr. Howard Arnold Walker, who wrote the hymn "I would be true," which contains much of the aims and mottoes of the three groups.

After the usual Sunday-school lesson, Brig. Keith gave a flannelgraph talk on David. The trio rendered several items.

Brig. Keith piloted the evening service and during the service offered prayer for the fallen in battle, also for the King and the country. Mrs. Keith also spoke a few words.

At 8.30 an after-church service was held when a number from the other churches attended. Brig. Keith gave a travelogue in song and story called *A Trip To Bermuda*. He said although Bermuda is only 19 miles long and 12 miles wide it is a lovely country. He told about the different fruits, flowers, etc. It takes 18 months to grow a banana plant. It grows only one bunch of bananas, then is cut down and grows again. The fruit does not ripen on the tree. Palm trees grow to a height of 100 feet.

The Brigadier while there conducted a Youth for Christ conference. He also told of the air-plane trip which took six hours. They started at Newark, U.S.A., and landed at Hamilton Bay, Bermuda.

### TENNIS

The annual meeting of the Newmarket Tennis club will be held at the offices of Mathews, Silver, Lyons and Vale, 100 Main St., on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. All those who are interested are invited to attend.

### SALE REGISTER

Saturday, May 19—Auction sale of household effects, the property of Joseph O'Donnell, 19 Joseph St., Newmarket. Sale at 1.30 p.m. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. c1w16

# CLASSIFIEDS - PHONE 780

## WANTED-ADS

The rate for "classifieds" is 50 cents for 25 words for one insertion; 65 cents for two insertions; 75 cents for three insertions. For over 25 words, each additional word, one insertion, one cent; additional insertions, one-half cent per insertion. Deduct 25 cents for payment within a week. Ten cents for the use of a box number; ten cents for mailing replica.

### HOUSE FOR SALE

For sale—7-roomed frame house in Mount Albert. Electricity, furnace. Good garden. Garage. Mrs. Arthur Smith, Sandford. \*3w14

### 12 ROOMS FOR RENT

For rent—Two rooms. Phone Newmarket 17411. c1w15

For rent—Well furnished bed-sitting room with board. West side. Five minutes from post office. Write Era and Express box 944. \*3w15

### 12A COTTAGE FOR RENT

For rent—Six-roomed cottage, hydro. Two miles from Lake Simcoe. Mrs. W. Anderson, Keswick. \*1f14

### 17 ARTICLES FOR SALE

For sale—Concrete products. Culvert tile, 4" and 8" drain tile, water troughs, lawn rollers, other articles made to order. Lorne Baker, 87 Eagle St., Newmarket, phone 1121. \*1f14

For sale—One buzz-saw machine, one rip-saw machine, some emery grinders, one grain chopper, one arm wagon, one hay rake, plows, one seven-inch drive belt, one six-inch drive belt. Two sawmill set-out boxes, one left hand timber gauge. Other repairs and machinery. W. E. Rutledge, Newmarket. \*4w14

For sale—Adding machine, completely overhauled. Bargain. \$75. May be seen at Morrison's Men's Wear, Newmarket. \*1w14

For sale—Four-poster bed, new springs, \$12. Child's green wicker rocking chair, like new. Phone 615, Newmarket. \*1w15

For sale—Child's go-cart, in good condition. Phone 721w, Newmarket. c1w15

For sale—Three-piece chest-of-drawers, new. Giving up housekeeping, reason for selling. Apply 51 Eagle St., Newmarket. \*1w15

For sale—Girl's bicycle, in good condition. Robert Harbison, 3rd con., Markham, lot 27, Gormley, R. R. 2. \*1w15

For sale—Cook stove, in good condition. Ivory and green. Bill Tienkamp, Kettleby, phone Aurora 96-21. \*1w15

For sale—Heater. Single iron bed, complete. Call in the forenoon or evening. Apply 26 Joseph St., Newmarket. c1w15

### 17A PRODUCE

Attention farmers—Canada Packers Ltd. are now contracting for cucumber acreage. Apply H. Moore, Newmarket. \*2w16

For sale—H. Leitch and Son are offering a wide variety of tomato and vegetable plants for the coming season, as well as many favorites in flowers. Come and see them at Maple Hill Farm near Ravenshoe, Phone Queensville 1596. c2w14

Wanted to buy—Potatoes, in large quantities. T. F. McMullen, phone 330, Newmarket. \*1w15

For sale—15 bags light resistant Kataklin potatoes. Apply Douglas Thompson, Queensville, or phone Queensville 308. \*2w15

For sale—Good, sturdy, tomato plants, different varieties. Phone 438w3, Newmarket. W. C. McCallum, Holland Landing. c1w15

### GROVES' GREENHOUSE

We have a good variety of boxed vegetable and flower plants again this year for your Victory gardens. Place your orders now for future delivery to avoid disappointment. Phone 455, 129 Prospect Ave., Newmarket. c3w15

### 17B MERCHANDISE

For sale—At Insley's. Men's grey and brown tweed two-piece raincoats, \$6.98. Fawn and blue trench coats, \$7.99. Also boys'. c3w13

For sale—At Insley's. Made to measure suits for returned men only. They have priority. Discharge papers must be presented before placing order. It's your opportunity, men. c4w13

### 18 ARTICLES WANTED

Wanted to buy—Go-cart and high chair. Write to post office box 55, Newmarket. \*2w15

### 19A USED CAR WANTED

Wanted to buy—For cash. Good used car, any make, any model. Phone 777 Newmarket. \*1f14

### 22 HELP WANTED

Help wanted—Caretaker, married, must be handy with cars and electrical equipment. Apartment with conveniences. Box 449, Newmarket. Phone 13. c1w15

## WORK WANTED

DANCE HALL, HOTEL OR GENERAL AMUSEMENT CENTRE WANTED. By experienced operator. Rent or manage for summer season. Apply Era and Express box 943. \*1w14

### 24 LOST

Lost—Between hotel and post office, Newmarket, on May 3, a silver tank corps pin. Finder please return to hotel. Valued as a keepsake. \*1w15

Lost—Two female dogs, one blue-tick speckled hound, 2 years old, two black spots on hips, white stripe on forehead; springer spaniel, 4 months old, four white feet, white breast, speckled nose. On corner of 5th con., Whitechurch. Apply James Robinson, 111 Prospect Ave., or phone 757w, Newmarket. c3w15

Lost—Wallet containing sum of money. Monday evening between Soldiers' club and hospital. Reward. Finder please return to Era and Express box 945. \*1w15

### 25 FOUND

Found—A pearl-set sunburst in Sharon hall following Red Cross Dance March 13. Phone Queensville 1704. \*1w14

### 27 FARM ITEMS

For rent—Pasture for 20 head of cattle. Running water. Apply Salvation Army Camp, Jackson's Point, or phone Jackson's Point 2. \*2w15

For rent—Pasture. Room for 10 head of cattle. Must be accredited. John Fairbairn, Sharon. \*1w15

For sale—Harness leather, traces, halters, bellybands, martingales, breast straps. Wolfe, 41 Main St., Newmarket. c3w13

For sale or rent—50 acres including about 40 acres of pasture and a bush. Lot 27, con. 6, East Gwillimbury. John Smith, box 47, Holland Landing. \*1f14

Wanted to buy—Four good springer cows. T.B. and blood-tested. R. Harbison, 3rd con., Markham, lot 27 (Gormley, R. R. 2). \*1w15

For sale—Six good Holstein heifers, vaccinated. Five grades and one registered, 2 years old, 3 bred. Robert Harbison, 3rd con., lot 27, Markham (Gormley, R. R. 2). \*1w15

For sale—Yorkshire sow from purebred stock. Phone 2206, Leek Bros., Mount Albert. \*5w15

For sale—Registered Jerseys, two choice calves, eight months old, heifer, two years, due June 9, cow five years, due May 20. All T.B., blood-tested, vaccinated. Herd sire Don Head Golden Airmul. Apply O. M. Heacock, Kettleby. Phone Aurora 342r22. \*1w15

For sale—Seven-year-old horse, bay gelding. Weight, 1,500 lbs. Good in all harness. Apply Alf Kelley, R. R. 2, Newmarket. \*1w15

29 POULTRY FOR SALE

For sale—Hillside cockerels available now, Leghorn x Barred Rock, \$2.50 per hundred, Leghorns, \$1. Blood-tested breeders, Canadian approved hatchery. Taking orders now for delivery this month or June of chicks, pullets, cockerels. Agent Chas. M. Sedore, Queensville. c1w15

29B POULTRY WANTED

Wanted to buy—All kinds of live poultry. Premium paid. Buy at market prices. Will call. Phone Newmarket 657. \*1f16

31 MISCELLANEOUS

For rent—Garden on Eagle St. Apply W. H. Travis, 20 Andrew St., Newmarket. c2w14

For sale—Used articles. Bargain. K.750 electric Rinfrew separator, in A1 condition. K.800 lb. Rinfrew separator, 11-60 lb. in good condition. All machines fully guaranteed. Quebec cook stove, cheap. Climax cook stove. Roy Taylor, Rinfrew Agent, phone 2308, Zephyr. \*3w13

FEATHERS WANTED

Feathers and feather beds of all descriptions. Highest prices paid. Write to Queen City Feather Co., 23 Baldwin St., Toronto. \*13w12

For rent—Hospital beds and wheel chairs. Theaker & Son, Mount Albert, or phone Mount Albert 5503. \*1f12

Wanted to buy—Fox feed. Old horses, dead horses, dead cows. Old pigs for the dead animals if they are fit for our use. Advice immediately as dead stock soon spoils. G. B. Thompson, Holland Landing, phone 5111, Newmarket. \*1f19

THE PERFECT PLEASANT-TASTING HEALTH-GIVING TONIC

USE THUNA'S PINK-ME-UP TONIC

It imparts pep to the stomach, stimulating digestive juices, improving appetite, makes up liver, checks the sluggish action of the intestines, makes you happy, helps the blood circulation, makes you tingle with life and glad to be alive. 75 cents, \$1.00. Best Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket.

House, large garden, very low rent. Write post office box 659, Newmarket. \*1f13

For sale—Trusses, surgical supports, elastic hosiery, for those who suffer from varicose veins, ankle and knee troubles. Arch supports. Lumbago belts. Best's Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket.

Doctors claim DISEASED ENLARGED TONSILS lead to many complaints. Use Thuna's pink tablets for the nose and throat. For strengthening the throat; dropping of mucous discharge; sensation of a lump in the throat; bad taste in the mouth. They help build resistance against colds, clear the voice and give better bodily health. \$1, \$1.75, \$2.50. Obtained from The Best Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket, Ont.

Wanted—Dead horses and cattle, for free pick-up. Phone Newmarket 19. We pay phone charges. Gordon Young Ltd., Toronto, phone AD3636. c5w150

Wanted—Cats (full grown) and dogs (small adults only). For essential war research. Troyer Natural Science Service, Oak Ridge, phone King 3r32. \*13w49

BAXTER'S SEEDS

Better service and value. Buy early. Send name for catalogue. Ready early in March. We sell everything that grows. 3350 YONGE ST., TORONTO HU 6665 \*1f15

Slender tablets are effective. 2 weeks' supply, \$1; 12 weeks' \$5. At Bell's Drug Store, Newmarket. c3w15

Wanted to buy—Old cars, trucks, tractors, machinery, implements. Also scrap iron, metals, rags, feathers, horsehair, used furniture. Hart's Auto Parts, Wellington St., Aurora, phone Aurora 281. c1w12

ENGLISH TYPE HEALTH SALT

A cooling and refreshing saline which acts as a laxative aperient with tumbler both for 43c. Best Drug Store, Newmarket. \*1f12

For rent—Market garden, good soil. Apply 17 Eagle St., Newmarket. c1w13

32 WOOD FOR SALE

For sale—Mixed slabs, dry. Cut in stove lengths. G. Fairbairn, phone Newmarket 6891. \*1f12

33 PETS

Dogs boarded by day, week or month. In ideal surroundings. Clipping expertly done. Prices reasonable. Basil Watson, Valcoles Kennels, Gorham St., phone Newmarket 672. c2w11

For sale—Two male collie pups, ready to work. Healers. F. Wilkinson, Holt. c1w15

BIRTHS

Davis—At York County hospital, on Saturday, May 5, 1945, to Pte. and Mrs. Norman Davis, R. R. 2, King, a son (stillborn).

DuVall—Sergeant and Mrs. Douglas R. DuVall (Dorothy Watson), 183 Havelock St., Toronto, announce the birth of their daughter, Barbara Ellen, on Friday, May 4, 1945.

Emmons—At York County hospital, on Saturday, May 5, 1945, to L. Cpl. and Mrs. J. N. Emmons, Aurora, a son.

Ley—At York County hospital, on Tuesday, May 8, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Melville Ley, Keswick, a son.

Marrow—At York County hospital, on Sunday, May 6, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. John R. Marrow (Grace Little), Oak Ridges, a son, William Arthur.

Matt—At York County hospital, on Sunday, May 6, 1945, to Pte. and Mrs. Edward Matt, Pefferlaw, a son.

Seaton—At York County hospital, on Tuesday, May 8, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. John Seaton, R. R. 1, Gormley, a daughter.

Stuart—At York County hospital, on Wednesday, May 9, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stuart, Newmarket, a daughter.

DEATHS

Cassavoy—On Friday, March 4, 1945, at St. Joseph's hospital, Toronto, Anita, wife of George A. Cassavoy, 10 Ostend Ave., Toronto, mother of Edward of Newmarket.

Mass was conducted at St. James' church, Toronto, on Monday morning. Interment Mount Hope cemetery.

Fierheller—Suddenly, on Wednesday, May 2, 1945, Luthie E. Fierheller, son of the late William and Sarah Fierheller of Markham township, in his 70th year.

The funeral service was held at P. M. Thompson's Funeral Home, 5 Victoria St., Aurora, on Friday afternoon. Interment Aurora cemetery.

Rose—At the home of Dr. and Mrs. Morley G. Cody, Calgary, Alta., on Thursday, May 3, 1945, Matilda Crone, wife of the late Isaac S. Rose, mother of Mrs. Morley G. Cody and Lyman B. Rose.

The funeral service was held this afternoon at the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose. Interment

# German Nation Forgot God Visiting Minister Declares

A large crowd gathered at the Church of the Nazarene for special praise and prayer at 8 p.m. on V-E Day. The service was opened with the national anthem followed by a prayer led by the minister, Rev. L. E. Sparks. There was a brief Scripture reading following which those who had members of their families in the services gathered about the altar and offered thanks for victory. O God Our Help in Ages Past was sung followed by the church doxology.

Dr. W. G. Heslop of Grand Rapids, Mich., was the speaker. "I have a lot which to be thankful for as I rejoice with you dear people today," he said, "but my thoughts are not only of joy but seriousness at this time which is the reason for much earnest prayer. I have had no pleasure, I must confess, in the destruction of a nation, yet I will admit it was necessary in order to gain freedom and peace to destroy Germany as an aggressor.

"Germany is the land of great Martin Luther, the reformer, Germany is the land of the world's great scientists and of the great Christian scholars and preachers. Some of the finest Christians who have ever graced the world have lived and died in that great and devastated land. But now Germany is dying as a nation and the cause of it all is their turning from God. Germany forgot the words of the Scriptures, 'Righteousness exalteth a nation but sin is a reproach to any people'. Once a nation forgets God, she desecrates the Sabbath and depends on a ceremonial religion, it falls sooner or later.

"Now we stand today witnessing the disintegration of a nation that has forgotten God. May I warn you that I fear the danger of Canada and the United States forgetting God and our Bibles being left to gather dust while we as a people carry on. I urge you to keep faith in God and always have cause for rejoicing."

## SERVICE REMEMBERS THOSE WHO SERVED

The thanksgiving service at the Salvation Army on Monday evening opened with the hymn, Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow, followed by the Last Post and Reveille. Prayers were offered by Capt. Arthur Robinson.

Following the singing of hymns, Sgt. Maj. J. C. Pemberton and Mrs. Edmund Adams, Sr., offered a prayer for victory and a prayer for the church. The names on the honor roll were remembered and there was one minute of silence observed in memory of Howard Sutton who died in service. Capt. Hugh Maclean spoke a few words and Capt. Robinson's address was based on the text "Only fear the Lord and serve Him in truth with all your heart; for consider how great things He hath done for you." A period of praise and testimony was held. Capt. Maclean closed with prayer.

Newmarket cemetery.

Taylor—At Newmarket, on Wednesday, May 9, 1945, Charles Edgar Taylor, husband of Jeanette Morrison, father of Jean Elizabeth Housome, Newmarket, and Theodore Clifford Taylor, Georgetown.

The funeral service in the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose on Friday, May 11, at 2.30 o'clock. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

FESTIVAL OF MUSIC

On Tuesday evening, May 5, at 8.15, the junior choir and double trio of the Christian-Congregational church, under the direction of Mrs. Eugene Cane, will hold their annual concert in the church.

Two very talented child artists from Toronto have been engaged for this occasion, Elsie Babink, violinist, who has won many honors, and Carl Kaye, the noted boy cellist. A very attractive program of fine music has been arranged. (Adv.)

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### THREE YEARS OLD



The smiling little fellow pictured above is Morris Howard Mount, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mount, Newmarket, and a grandson of Mrs. Wm. Morris, Newmarket, and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Mount, Sharon. Morris was three years old when this picture was taken. Photo by Budd.

## Noted French Organist To Play At St. John's

A noted young French organist, Mlle. Renee Nizan of Paris, will give a recital at St. John's church Sunday afternoon from 2.30 p.m. to 3.30 p.m. Her program will be preceded by choir numbers by the children of St. John's school. Mlle. Nizan will play both classical and modern numbers, including music by Bach, Couperin, Vienne, Rimsky-Korsakoff, Widor, Daller and Cesar Franck. Mlle. Nizan has given recitals in the largest music halls and churches on five continents. She had just completed a world tour of recitals when her homeland was invaded by Germany.

This recital was made possible by Mlle. Nizan's presence in Toronto for a recital Sunday evening and being a personal friend of Dr. W. D. Muckle, she accepted his invitation to come to Newmarket in the afternoon. It will be a public recital and lovers of music will be assured of a real treat as Mlle. Nizan brings out music from an organ that is seldom heard. A short reception will be held by Mlle. Nizan in St. John's school immediately after the recital.

MISSING

Clifford Theodore Johnson has been officially reported missing in action, not killed as reported last week. He is a son of Mr. R. W. Johnson, Queensville.

In Memoriam

Critenden—In loving memory of our dear little daughter, Carol Anne, who passed away May 14, 1938, age one year, two weeks.

Oh blessed little sunbeam,  
Oh child of love and prayer,  
We give thee to the keeping  
Of the tender Shepherd's care.

Too dearly loved to ever be forgotten. Mummy and daddy.

Dutcher—In loving memory of Philip John Dutcher, who passed away on May 7, 1944.

One year today dear father was called  
To his eternal rest;  
Gone where the angels sing so sweet  
And taken when God knew best.

We miss him here so very much,  
His presence oft seems nigh,  
But we all hope in heaven to meet  
Where no one says goodbye.

Sadly missed by his wife and family.

Hoover—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Robert Nelson Hoover, who departed this life May 11, 1943, three years ago today.

We are sad within our memory,  
Lonely are our hearts today,  
For the one we loved so dearly  
Has forever been called away.

We think of him in silence,  
No eye can see us weep,  
But many silent tears are shed  
When others are asleep.



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KIN OF MAPLE BULLS  
HAS RECORD SHOWING

A half sister of three of the Holstein bulls purchased by the Maple Cattle Breeders' Association for artificial insemination work has just completed a record that ranks amongst the top records of the dominion. As reported last week by the London Free Press, Lonelm Texal Happy, a five-year-old owned by Mr. Berry of Wilton Grove, has produced 30,711 lbs. of milk testing 3.59 percent with 1,101 lbs. of fat which would make up almost 1,400 lbs. of butter.

This cow was sired by the 14-year-old Lonelm Texal Happy owned by Geo. C. Jackson of Downsview, the sire of three of the bulls in the Maple club.

There is considerable activity these days at the southern limits of Maple village where the members are having "bees" to renovate the building purchased by the association to house the bulls. A number of farmers met at the home of Wilbert Jennings at Temperanceville Wednesday night to have the plan outlined to them by President G. W. Keffeler of Maple and Agricultural Representative W. M. Cockburn, Newmarket.

## COLLECTION SUCCESSFUL

Between 12 and 13 tons of salvage paper and magazines were collected by the Aurora Board of Trade on Saturday in aid of the memorial site fund. Aurora school boys gathered the paper in spite of the wet weather. Frank Barnes heads the committee in charge.

## HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WAR

(Continued From Page 1)  
Canadian Army took Le Havre. Sept. 27 — First contingent of Canadian troops arrived in Australia.

Sept. 30 — Canadians captured Calais.

Oct. 21 — Aachen surrendered unconditionally. Canadians took Italian coastal town of Cesanatico.

Oct. 22 — Canadians took Vreskens and Schelde pocket.

Oct. 26 — Canadians captured Oostburg on Schelde Estuary.

Dec. 20 — German offensive on western front checked 10 miles from French border. Field Marshal Montgomery assumed command of United States 1st and 9th Armies in addition to own command of British 2nd and Canadian 1st Armies.

1945  
Jan. 10 — Germans in general retreat from western tip of Belgian bulge.

Jan. 17 — Russians captured Warsaw.

Jan. 22 — Belgian bulge collapsed into German rout.

Jan. 25 — Germans reported East Prussia isolated by Russians.

Jan. 26 — All German resistance on western front west of Roer River collapsed. Red Army captured Hindenburg city, Silesia.

Feb. 8 — 1st Canadian Army opened offensive on Nijmegen sector of western front.

March 24 — First Canadian regiment, Highland Light Infantry of 1st Army, crossed Rhine, U.S. 9th crossed Rhine south of Wesel.

April 15 — Canadian Army patrols reached Netherlands North Sea coast. Germans reported Russians 24 miles from Berlin.

May 1 — Hamburg radio announced defeat of Hitler and succession of Admiral Doenitz as commander of German nation.

May 2 — Berlin fell to Russians after 12 days' street fighting.

War in Italy, Austrian Tyrol and Salzburg ended at noon with surrender of nearly 1,000,000 German troops.

May 3 — Hamburg captured by British troops; mass German surrenders ended all resistance in northern Germany east of the port. British 2nd Army made contact with Russians at Wismar, Baltic Port.

May 4 — Gen. Eisenhower announced all German forces in Holland, northwest Germany and nearby islands surrendered to Field Marshal Montgomery; cease fire effective 2 a.m., May 5.

May 7 — Allies win complete victory in Europe with unconditional surrender of Germany.

Two former hard-rock miners from Canada's largest gold mines hit a Bonanza recently when their R.A.F. Lancaster shot down two 600 m.p.h. Nazi jet-propelled fighters in a single night.

Francis Cook President  
Young Prog. Con. Group

At an enthusiastic meeting held in the L.O.O.F. hall last Thursday evening the Aurora Young Progressive-Conservative club was formed and the members plan to take an active part in the two June elections. Francis Cook, former member of the Ontario Boys' Parliament for North York, was elected president.

Herbert Stocks, youth organizer for the party in North York, was chairman, and introduced Earl Toole, the Progressive-Conservative federal candidate, and Major Lex McKenzie, the provincial candidate, to the young people.

Mr. Toole told the meeting that the sturdy small opposition provided by the party in the House of Commons exerted enough influence to force the government to take much action which will benefit the veterans of this war.

"Progressive-Conservatives were the first to advocate many principles which were later enacted by the waivering Mackenzie King administration," Mr. Toole said. He told the young people to remember the sacrifices and contributions made to the country by the armed forces.

"Our opposition to existing regulations resulted in the elimination of considerable red tape but unfortunately much still exists, with the result an inestimable amount of vital time is wasted," he concluded.

Major Mackenzie congratulated the young people on their foresight in studying the problems of the day and told them to make the best of their educational opportunities. The policy of the Drew government towards youth and education was best suited for the future problems they would

have to face, he said.

Gordon McLelland of Hamilton, a young returned airman, was the speaker of the evening. He told the young people what the young service men and women were thinking and said he felt the policies of the Progressive-Conservative party offered opportunity to youth and the safe and sound way to prosperity and jobs for the future. The party was stream-lined, and the policies had been formulated by many of the leading young men of the country, as well as older men who had kept abreast of the times, he said.

He cited the large number of returned men being nominated as candidates by the party and the young men offering their services to the country. No "false promises" were being held out. He warned his listeners against the pitfalls of socialism, and the cure-all nostrums offered by the C.C.F. He cited the career of John Bracken, leader of the party, as an example to all young people and a real success story to those of humble position.

"He worked his way to the top by hard work and ability, and, with three children of his own on active service, knows the problems confronting young people," Mr. McLelland said.

A question and answer period followed. Elected to executive posts besides Francis Cook were: vice-presidents, Keith Nisbet and Betty Boulding; sec.-treas., Bill Devins. The young people will shortly hold another meeting to add to the executive and appoint committees. Activities of the club will include discussion and study groups, the use of films and social activities. Further clubs will be organized throughout North York, Mr. Stocks stated.

## PEPPERLAW

A large number of members and guests attended the W.I. meeting at the home of Mrs. C. K. Johnston, Pepperlaw. The roll-call was answered by a way to keep good natured. The financial report was read by the W.I. treasurer and war treasurer. The Sunshine Ladies' report showed an active month.

Mrs. Roy Cronsberry offered her home for a euchre on Wednesday, May 16. Her invitation was gratefully accepted and the proceeds will be used for war work.

Mrs. N. Laviolette donated a quilt and tickets were sold at the meeting. Proceeds were \$4. The president, Mrs. J. Laviolette, announced the meeting of the board at her home to prepare their program for the coming year. Mrs. Harry Corner was convener and the paper was Social Welfare. Mrs. Corner was unable to attend so it was read by Mrs. Roy Cronsberry, Mrs. Valentine, Mrs. Arthur Fountain and Mrs. Albert Weir. There were three new members.

The lunch was nicely prepared and served by the tea hostesses, Mrs. Albert Weir, Mrs. Richard Cronsberry and Mrs. Thomas Burney.

The war committee of the Pepperlaw W.I. met on Monday night at the home of Mrs. Fred Hinchley. Mrs. Cecil Smith was acting secretary owing to Mrs. Arthur Fountain's absence. Mrs. Richard Cronsberry was a guest.

Report from the Work committee showed good results. The following articles were packed to send: the Salvation Army; one quilt, one layette, eight pairs socks, two scarves, one lady's dress, nine skirts, 3 yrs. eight skirts, 10 yrs. 33 prs. girls' bloomers, 8 to 10 yrs. 20 children's slips, four prs. pyjamas, size 11 yrs., 12 girls' print dresses, 6 to 8 yrs., and magazines.

It was decided to send a donation to the Salvation Army and more sewing material was ordered. A letter was read from the Salvation Army thanking the ladies for their good work.

## ANNOUNCE GOOD NEWS

(Continued From Page 1)

along. They looked as if they were frightened by the notice they were receiving from the spectators and at the same time, so proud that they were leading the army that their chests were puffed out several inches over their normal measure. One wore a steel helmet and every time he nodded or waved to friends, the helmet wobbled about his head.

The pipe band from the camp led the camp personnel. All the troops in the camp had turned out for the parade. Behind the band, the C.W.A.C. detachment marched, and behind them, platoon after platoon of camp soldiers followed. Following the troops was an ambulance and behind it, a line of cars decorated with flags and bunting.

As the centre section of the parade passed the post office, confetti rained from the roof and was carried by the wind along the length of the parade.

Use the "Articles for Sale" column in the classifieds.

## Social and Personal

Miss Mary Griffith, Reg. N., Toronto, a former Aurora resident, spent Friday in town.

Mrs. Owen Richards underwent an operation at York County hospital last week. She is progressing favorably.

Miss George Charles, Reg. N., Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. H. J. Charles. Mrs. Walter Douglas, Belleville, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. Banbury.

Miss Patricia Gunton, nurse-in-training, Toronto, spent Friday with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. A. C. Gunton, and attended the Aurora high school cadet dance.

Mr. J. Banbury, Mosley St., is confined to York County hospital. He is progressing favorably.

Miss Lavilla Hamer, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hamer. Oliver Whitmore, Toronto, spent the weekend in town.

Wyatt Saigle of the merchant marine, who has been sailing in European waters, spent several days leave this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Saigle.

Miss Bertha Andrews, Creemore continuation school, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. M. L. Andrews.

Harold Oliver, who has been attending school of science at Toronto University, will spend the summer months assisting his father in the electrical business.

Mr. E. H. Clarke has returned from hospital and is convalescing nicely at home.

Capt. and Mrs. E. Mercer spent the weekend with Mrs. Mercer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. William Calhoun spent Sunday at Beeton.

St. Andrew's College cadet corps held their annual cadet dance at the college on Friday evening. The guests were received by Headmaster J. C. Garratt, and Mrs. Garratt, and Cadet Captain Gary Rappmund, and Capt. and Mrs. J. L. Wright.

Three hundred guests attended, including representatives from other schools. A buffet supper was served.

George King has completed his year at Queen's University school of science and is with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee King.

Miss Beulah Houle, Toronto, spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Ewart Pearce.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Badger have occupied their new home on Wells St., formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore.

Miss Mary Elliott, Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. James Elliott.

WITH THE CHURCHES

Mrs. Carol Proctor, Toronto, addressed the W.A. of Aurora United church this afternoon on Nature. Illustrated slides were shown.

## GARDEN COMPETITION

Fifty-three boys and girls have enrolled in the Victory garden competition sponsored by the Aurora Horticultural society. Seeds are being supplied by the society to the youngsters.

## R. L. STEPHENS WOUNDED

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Stephens, Yonge St., received word Tuesday that their son, Tpr. Robert Stephens, was severely wounded in action in Germany on May 2.

## EX-MAYOR IMPROVES

Ex-Mayor J. M. Walton, who is convalescing at his home after a lengthy illness, is now able to be up and around for a few hours each day.

## ONE BIG HEAVE



## HOME AGAIN



One of Aurora's wounded war veterans, L.-Cpl. Earl Simmerson returned home from overseas last Friday and is now with his family.

L.-Cpl. Simmerson has come back minus the sight of one eye as a result of injuries sustained in Holland in February.

L.-Cpl. Simmerson, a former employee of the T. Sisman Shoe Co., enlisted in 1943 and trained at Brantford and Camp Borden. He was also stationed at the Aurora R.C.O.C. depot before proceeding overseas in August, 1944.

## WITH THE FORCES

Pte. Mel Lloyd, Halifax, N.S., a former Aurora resident, spent the weekend with his grandmother, Mrs. Seneca Lloyd.

Douglas Tunney, son of Pte. and Mrs. Bert Tunney, left on Monday for Toronto to join the Canadian army.

Pte. Bill Williams, Camp Borden, is attending a school of instruction at that centre.

PO Donald Hamilton, R.C.N. V.R., St. Hyacinthe, Que., spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Donald Hamilton.

William C. Stuart, a former Aurora boy now with the Allied control commission in Italy, has been promoted to the rank of captain. Capt. Stuart enlisted as a private in 1939 and has been overseas five years.

Larry Maughan, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. L. Maughan, Aurora, is attending the University of Toronto C.O.T.C. training centre at Niagara-on-the-Lake.

Sgt. Bill Duckenfield, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Lieut. J. P. Allen, of A Coy., Queen's York Rangers, mayor of Weston, has been named as Progressive-Conservative candidate for the provincial riding of West York.

Pilot Officer Earl Wellesley, King, a former student at Aurora high school and member of C Coy., Queen's York Rangers, now overseas with the R.C.A.F., was married in late March to Miss Kay Roche of Birmingham, England.

Petty Officer Donald Nelson, R.C.N.V.R., Sydney, N.S., is on leave with his wife and family. Pte. Peter Crysdale is now taking basic training at Brantford.

In hospital in New York is Pte. John Sturt, Richmond Hill, well-known throughout North York. Pte. Sturt has served overseas for two years with the U.S. army air force.

Tpr. Barton Teasdale, Camp Borden, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Teasdale.

Pte. "Ginger" Pugh, Camp Borden, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Richard Pugh. Cpl. Harry Burge, R.C.A.M.C., Toronto, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Charles Southwood.

Pte. Garfield Doolittle is now stationed at Simcoe B.T.C. LAC Walter Long, St. Catharines, spent the weekend at his home.

## GUESTS OF LODGE

Mrs. A. Courtney, vice-president of the Rebekah assembly of Ontario, accompanied by several Grand Lodge officials, paid a visit on Monday evening to Elma Rebekah lodge, Aurora. A good attendance was on hand for the occasion.

## COLLECT FAT

The pupils of Aurora public school collected 681½ lbs. of fat on April 25. The amount collected by each room and the highest amount brought by a pupil of that room resulted as follows: room 1, Ralph Rank high, 17½ lbs., 54½ lbs.; room 2, Lois Underhill high, 20½ lbs., 48½ lbs.; room 3, E. Flicker and F. White high, 19½ lbs., 27 lbs.; room 4, Nora Knowles high, 14½ lbs., 46½ lbs.; room 5, Kenneth Fines high, 20 lbs., 93½ lbs.; Kenneth was also highest in school; room 6, John Hodgkinson high, 28 lbs., 170½ lbs.; room 7, B. Flicker and Bob Cook high, 21½ lbs., 72½ lbs.; room 8, Bobbie Bull high, 14½ lbs., 81½ lbs.; room 9, John Offord high, 15 lbs., 48½ lbs.; room 10, Beverley Bird high, 3 lbs., 9½ lbs.; room 11, Nancy Stocks high, 5½ lbs., 35½ lbs.

V-E Day Has Come,  
Churches Crowded  
For Thanksgiving

V-E day has come and gone and Aurora looks to the future. Townspeople may take pride in the way the municipality reacted to the "day of days." Early morning radio reports were heard by many, and the news began to spread like wildfire.

Mayor Ross Linton called an emergency council meeting and declared Monday and Tuesday holidays. School children and factory workers were dismissed. Whistles sounded, bells clanged, automobile horns honked and hundreds of voices were raised in louder than ordinary talk.

Aurora public school children paraded to their churches and when they arrived shortly before 11 a.m. they found their parents and adult friends had joined them. Churches were packed to capacity and the general service laid down carried out. As early as this hour the well laid plans of the Aurora town council for celebrating were evident and the entire day was marked by an inspired program in keeping with the motif of the day.

At 1 p.m. the parade was assembled in the town park. First came a car bearing veterans of the present war, followed by servicemen of this war, Aurora war veterans, St. Andrew's College cadets and pipe band, the Aurora fire brigade and truck, Red Cross truck, Navy League truck, Aurora high school bugle band, Aurora public school cadet corps and a motor cavalcade. Five hundred flags had been issued to the children by the municipality.

At 3 p.m. a drumhead service was held in the town park with Rev. A. R. Park, Rev. E. C. Moddle, Rev. Roy Hicks, Rev. Canon F. J. Fife and Major Arthur Whitfield of the Salvation Army taking part. The entire program was marked by simplicity and reverence.

At 7.30 p.m. all churches except St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, whose minister could not be present, were opened for special services, and were once again filled to capacity.

Shortly after 8 p.m. the populace assembled in the town park where appropriate music was being played. Band music, a huge community bonfire and a giant sing-song which brought out all the old favorites of the last war and the present one followed. Following the close of the community gathering, many people attended the Victory dance staged by the Aurora Fire brigade.

No accidents, no property damage, no untoward incident marred the day. Aurorians were too busy giving thanks, and remembering the proud record of close to 500 servicemen and women on active service.

Aurora war veterans and civic officials gathered at the cenotaph on Tuesday afternoon for a brief service of thanksgiving and remembrance.

President George Duffield turned proceedings over to Mayor Ross Linton who spoke briefly and urged those present to work to see the war with Japan was successfully prosecuted, and that returned men be properly cared for.

Reeve C. E. Sparks, on behalf of the municipality, deposited a wreath.

Rev. A. R. Park gave thanks to God for the Allied successes and reminded those present of the sacrifices and loss of life in the conflict. It would be in vain if a better world did not result and Christianity enter the lives of all, he said.

President George Duffield placed a wreath on behalf of the veterans.

The Last Post and Reveille sounded and Major Arthur Whitfield gave the benediction.

Former Aurora Woman  
IS C.C.F. Candidate

The first Aurora girl to enter politics in a big way is Mrs. Kay Morris of Toronto, the former Kathleen Montague, who will contest the federal riding of Toronto Spadina on behalf of the C.C.F. party. Mrs. Morris resided on Kennedy St. for some years and is a graduate of Aurora high school. Along with her sister, Florence, and her brother, Jack, she was well known as a violinist.

Mrs. Morris has been associated with the C.C.F. movement for some years and a few weeks ago was appointed in charge of the C.C.F. book service, with the Canadian Forum. Her nomination was unopposed and in her speech of acceptance she declared "both of the old parties must go." Opposing her for the seat, which was held by Squadron Leader Sam Factor, Liberal, are three opponents to date, Major David Croll, Liberal, Sam Carr, Labor-Progressive, and Major George Hees, Progressive-Conservative. Mrs. Morris will be heard on the air during the election campaign.

## LOAN SPEAKERS

FO Craig McKenzie, D.F.C., and Pte. Charles Wallick, FO Gilbert Whitlamore, PO Jack Teasdale and FO Bob Burns, all returned North York boys aiding the Eighth Victory Loan campaign, spoke over radio station CFRB and the Canadian network on Friday evening on the Victory Loan program.

FO McKenzie told how on his 32nd operational flight, one of his engines "conked" and one of his crew was wounded. He landed the plane near Arnhem and got the lad to hospital. Nazi planes strafed all the while and there were 30 or 40 flak holes in the plane. "It is not your duty, it is your privilege to buy a bond," he concluded.

## FROLIC MAY 24

Aurora Lions club has completed arrangements to hold a big evening's frolic at the Aurora Golf club on May 24. Races, games, bingo, amusements and fireworks will be provided. There will be a draw for a \$50 Victory bond.

Aug. 1 has been announced by the Lions as the date of their annual street dance and carnival.

## CADET CAMP

Aurora high school cadets will take their cadet training this year at Niagara camp. The cadets will go to camp at the end of June.

## BOARD CHAIRMAN

H. Brooke Bell, K.C., Toronto, has been elected chairman of the board of governors of St. Andrew's College.

L. E. FIERHELLER, 78,  
IS BURIED IN AURORA

Luther Edwin Fierheller, Aurora, died on May 2 at Newmarket.

Mr. Fierheller, who was in his 79th year, had been in ill health the past few years. He was born in Markham township, a son of the late William and Sarah Fierheller. He farmed most of his life in Markham township, retiring to Aurora six years ago. He was a member of the United church.

Rev. Roy Hicks conducted the funeral service on Friday at P. M. Thompson's funeral home. Interment was at Aurora cemetery.

No immediate relatives survive him. Pallbearers were six nephews, William Calhoun, Roy Fierheller and Nelson Fierheller, Aurora, and Harry Eldon and Edward Fierheller, all of Maple.

## TAKE TOP HONORS

The following students secured top honors in the Easter term examinations at Aurora high school:

Grade 13, Bill Babcock, Bill Doherty; grade 12, William Crichton, Bruce Underhill; grade 11A, Gerry McDonald, Colleen Gould; grade 11B, Doris Mustard, Philip Davidson; grade 10A, Archie McCallum, Ian Scott; grade 10B, Mary Morikawa, Ross Donovan; grade 9A, Isabella Bruce; Lols Mustard; grade 9B, June Adams, Peter Monk.

## CADET DANCE

Aurora high school cadet corps held its annual dance on Friday evening in the high school auditorium with Max Boag's orchestra providing the music. Lieut.-Col. C. H. Reeve, officer commanding the Queen's York Rangers, and Mrs. Reeve, were present for the occasion. Jacqueline Thomson won the spot dance.

Among the servicemen and ex-service personnel of the school present were: Flt.-Lieut. Anson Gilbert, D.F.C., FO Bill Fry, D.F.C., FO Craig McKenzie, D.F.C., FO Ronald Kyle, Major Norman Johnson, Sgt. Heath Hamilton, Tpr. Bill Stephens, LAC Vaughan Williams, Cpl. Patricia Slaman, Pte. Walter Swindle, Pte. Charles Seath, FO Bill Griffiths, FO Ron Kye, LAC Bill Thompson and Pte. Bill Williams.

## RIFLE TRIALS

Members of C Coy., Queen's York Rangers and 32 members of the Aurora high school cadet corps, journeyed by bus on Sunday to Long Branch rifle range to take part in rifle trials. Some exceptionally fine scores were posted both by the reservists and the cadets. Lieuts. Arnold Miller and Delroy Babcock were in charge.

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KESWICK

The United church was filled to capacity Monday evening when the people of the Christian and United congregations, along with a number of cottagers and people from the countryside to

the east, joined in a solemn service of praise and thanksgiving. Rev. Robert Serrick read the scripture and brought a message suited to V-E day. Rev. Gordon Lapp conducted the service, leading in the prayers and responsive readings. Mrs. Harold Pollard

was at the organ.

Spring flowers and flags decorated the church. Mr. Serrick's beautiful big flag, which ordinarily is draped on the wall in the lobby of the Christian church, was suspended over the pulpit. The order of service prepared by the Canadian Council of Churches for the occasion was used. Many appreciative references were heard, this service seeming to meet the needs of the people adequately.

The previous evening, Sunday, a congregation well over the two hundred mark was present in the same building for a Youth Good Will Service, in which three Czech-Slovakian young people took part. They were from Wentworth county, near Hamilton, where they have resided since coming as refugees to Canada from Sudetenland, the western part of Czechoslovakia just before the German entry in 1938.

Alice Polak, aged 13, whose address on what it means to be a Canadian citizen was deeply moving, spoke no English when he came to Canada. Ruth Herman, aged 15, charmed her hearers with an account of her trip to Canada. Ruth Abel sang the national anthem of the Czechs and repeated the words in English.

These visitors came through the kindness and interest of Gladstone Marritt, representative of the department of agriculture in Wentworth and a Keswick old boy. Mr. Marritt has taken

a friendly interest in the Czech people from the time of their arrival. He introduced the speakers and spoke of the nation and their new life in Canada.

While the date of the service was chosen some time in advance it proved, by coincidence, to have been a wonderful service for the eve of V-E day. The war was then ending in the territory where there was fighting as far back as 1938, the same Czechoslovakia in which the speakers of the evening were born.

Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone Marritt, Mrs. Herman and the three young people were guests at the Marritt home on Sunday.

This coming Sunday the United church, in common with all churches, will mark its services with prayers of thanksgiving and hymns of praise. The day being Mother's Day, however, the sacrament of baptism will be administered as usual. Any who wish to present children for baptism are asked to communicate with Mr. Lapp as soon as possible.

POTTAGEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Fred West and son of Brownsville and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth West, Hamilton, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. George West.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Kazer and family and Mrs. Macolony and family of Toronto called on Mrs. Alraksinen recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Emmerson and family of Nobleton called on Mr. Emmerson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Emmerson, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, Springdale, called on Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Archibald, recently.

Miss Hattie Cutting, Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bunn and son of Newmarket called on Mrs. Bunn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Paton, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Archibald and family called on Mrs. Alraksinen on Sunday.

Awards totalling \$600, with a special prize of \$300 for an outstanding work, will be made in the second Canadian army art competition open to all members of the service except official war artists.

QUEENSVILLE  
TORCH PUT TO HITLER,  
RED CROSS \$5 RICHER

Mr. and Mrs. Harker, Toronto, visited their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Cull, this week.

V-E day was a time of great rejoicing in Queensville. The town fathers made special preparation for the decoration of the village and the five streamers of flags which stretched across the highway gave the town a gay appearance.

On Monday evening a service of thanksgiving was held in the United church and was largely attended. The choir sang the Supreme Sacrifice, after which the names of boys and girls on the honor roll of Queensville and Sharon were read followed by a period of silence and a prayer of remembrance. Thanksgiving service was also held in the Baptist church.

On Tuesday morning the Queensville school, in company with the schools of the township of East Gwillimbury, attended the V-E day celebration in Newmarket. In the evening most of the schools again assembled in Queensville and marched through the village led by Norman Still, Lew Irwin, B. Aylward and Geo. Cull in costume.

The effigy of Hitler, which had been drawn through the village on a small truck, was burned much to the amusement of all present. Joe English made a gift of \$5 to the Red Cross for the privilege of putting the torch to the effigy.

The King has declared that Sunday, May 13, shall be a day of Thanksgiving and the United church will observe the day coupled with the Mother's Day program, the theme of which is Peace Is Built At Home. The junior choir will be in attendance.

On Wednesday morning the public school held a service of Thanksgiving before the regular opening of the school. The program was given by the pupils and consisted of Bible readings, recitations and hymns in keeping with the day of Thanksgiving. Rev. Hartley Britton and Rev. Hugh Shannon gave short addresses. Levi Weddel, chairman of the school board, was chairman of the meeting. Mrs. C. Milstead and Mrs. R. Coates are the teachers.

The members of Queensville Women's Institute were guests of Union St. Institute last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Wilfred Micks. The Queensville group provided the program. An interesting feature of the afternoon was the visit of Rev. Henry Cotton and PO Jack Teasdale of Newmarket in the interest of the Victory Loan.

The Women's Missionary Society will hold their monthly meeting on Thursday, May 18, at the home of Mrs. W. Arnold.

MAGISTRATE'S COURT  
THREE MONTHS TERM  
IN GROCERY BREAK-IN

Two eighteen-year-old soldiers who were stationed at the Newmarket military camp at the time when they are alleged to have broken into the Red and White grocery store at the south end of Main St., Newmarket, on April 23, appeared before Magistrate W. F. Woodliffe again Wednesday to receive sentence. One of the accused was sentenced to jail for three months, the term to date back to the date of his arrest. The other accused was given a suspended sentence and placed on probation in the custody of his superior officer. He was also required to pay for half the cost of the cigarettes which were stolen.

Evidence in the case had been heard last week, at which time the accused pleaded guilty. His worship adjourned the case one week for judgment.

Arnold Molyneux, proprietor of the grocery store, told his worship that approximately \$20 worth of cigarettes had been stolen and a \$1 in coppers. Acting Chief James Leeder, who investigated and who was responsible for the accused's arrest, stated that entrance had been gained by taking a pane of glass out of a window at the rear of the building.

Asked by Magistrate Woodliffe, the military record of the two accused, Lieut. R. J. Haney of the Newmarket camp stated that one had been in the army since February and the other since March. The former had an "absent without leave" recorded against him. He stated that both men were "active service" men, were of the reinforcement age and suitable for service any place.

"I am taking into account the fact that you have never been in trouble before, that you have never before been sentenced in court," his worship said to one accused. "I am also taking into consideration that you are 18 years of age and that you have volunteered to serve your country. I am placing you on suspended sentence. I might warn you that a person seldom gets a second chance, especially on a charge of breaking and entering. I am allowing you this chance but I might say that if you get into trouble again you may not get a suspended sentence again."

back to the day of your arrest." For having wrong number plates on his car, Clifford King, Sutton, was fined \$10 and costs by Magistrate Woodliffe. County Constable William Hill laid the charge.

For illegal parking in Newparking, Robt. E. Magloughlin, Bradford, was fined \$1 and costs.

In the case of H. C. Merry, Newmarket, who was charged on five counts with failing to have licenses for his dogs, the defendant was required to purchase a kennel license and pay costs of court.

Constable G. W. Curtis laid the information in the cases of Mr. Magloughlin and Mr. Merry.

LOCAL MARKET:

Butter was 40 cents a pound on the local market on Saturday morning. Eggs were 30 to 35 cents a dozen. Yearling chickens were 28 and 30 cents a pound. The market was small due to the rainy weather.

TORONTO MARKETS

Butter, creamery solids, No. 1, was 34 cents a pound on the Toronto markets on Wednesday. First grade creamery prints were 36 cents a pound.

Country dealers were quoted on graded eggs, on a cases free, delivered to Toronto basis, as follows: grade A large, 34½ to 35 cents a dozen; grade A medium, 32½ cents a dozen; and grade A pullets, 27 cents a dozen.

Nominal prices to the shipper on poultry were: spring broilers, over 1½ pounds, 30 cents a pound; fowl, all weights, A grade, 26 cents a pound.

Prices in the cattle trade included: weighty steers, \$11.80 to \$13.25; butcher steers, \$10.50 to \$12.50, with a few choice \$12.80; heifers, \$12 down; butcher cows, \$8 to \$10; canners and cutters, \$5.50 to \$7.75; bulls, \$7.50 to \$10; fed yearlings, \$12 to \$13.50.

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to \$8. Lambs were \$9 to \$15; sheep, \$4 to \$8. Hogs, grade A dressedweight, were \$18, with grade B1 at \$17-60. Sows were \$15.

All canned fish produced in Canada has been brought under control to ensure supplies allocated to the United Nations Combined Food Board.

The First Canadian Corps and attached troops, which had been serving in Italy since 1943, have joined the First Canadian Army on the northwestern European front.

To The Electors  
Of North York

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—



At a nomination meeting held in Richmond Hill and attended by over 800 electors from all parts of the riding, I received the unanimous nomination as Federal Liberal candidate for this historic constituency. This nomination was tendered to me after a definite word had been received that my good friend, Bill Mulock, who has rendered such outstanding service to North York and to Canada, must bow to the inevitable and retire owing to illness. I join all the people of North York, irrespective of political affiliation, in the hope that Col. Mulock may quickly be restored to a full measure of health and strength, and that he may again take an active part in the public life of this country.

I accepted the nomination with a deep sense of humility and a keen appreciation of the responsibility of the trust. I accepted with a full appreciation of my limitations and shortcomings, but with a sincere desire to render myself more extensively serviceable to my fellow-electors. I feel that my close association with North York people as a weekly newspaper editor for the past 20 years has given me an understanding of your problems, an appreciation of your aims and ambitions, a picture of your dreams and hopes for a better Canada, which should enable me to serve you well as a representative in parliament.

I promise as far as I am concerned the coming campaign will be clean and above-board and free from mud-throwing and abuse. I know my opponents as real gentlemen and fine fellows who will have a similar desire.

In my heart is nothing of hatred or prejudice, either political, racial or religious and if elected I will serve all the people with sincerity and honesty of purpose and without fear or favor.

I have no Aladdin's lamp. I have no magic formula by which I can convert base metals into gold and I entertain no delusion with respect to converting this world into a Utopia by merely sitting back and dreaming that it can be done by an act of parliament. I do believe, however, that with everyone pulling together in a spirit of national unity such as we have displayed in war, we can meet the problems of the post-war era and be able to enjoy long years of prosperity, uninterrupted by periods of slack and depression. The present government has provided a program of post war legislation so thoroughly socialized that it will be helpful to everyone and it will be the business and duty of the new parliament to supplement this program with progressive and reform legislation designed to contribute more fully to the social security and happiness of all our people.

If elected as your member my door will be open always to every citizen who wishes to consult with me about any matter pertaining to their welfare or the welfare of their families and friends.

I pledge myself to the task of providing for our returning heroes the better world for which they fought, and for which their comrades died. Our heritage of freedom has been dearly bought and must not be squandered on the altar of careless experiment or selfish interest.

I believe that from the horror and hardship, heartaches and separations of war can be snatched a flame that will light the path leading to a better world. To give safe, sound leadership along this path at the present time, the Liberal party under Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King stands out as the one party equipped by experience and policy to do the job.

I wish to express appreciation for the many kind assurances of support I have received during the past week and ask you, my friends, for your good will and active assistance during the coming campaign.

Thank you, in anticipation of your support.

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## VANDORF

The Vandorf Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Porter on Wednesday afternoon, May 16. The topic, Post-War Planning, will be given by Mrs. H. White. The hostesses are Mrs. H. A. Switzer and Mrs. Jas. Wright. Mrs. R. Scott will give the current events and the roll-call will be an exchange of seeds and slips.

The yearly reports and reports of convenors of committees will be given.

## MEET NEXT TUESDAY

The postponed meeting of the Evangeline Auxiliary of the W.M.S. will be held on Tuesday evening, May 15, at 8 o'clock, in Trinity United church Sunday-school room. Members are asked to please note the change of date.

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## SHARON

The monthly meeting of the Women's Association of the United church will be held at the hall on Thursday, May 17, at 10.30 a.m. There will be quilting to do and a pot-luck dinner. All the ladies are invited.

Mrs. Purdon of South Porcupine is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Levi Weddel.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Howlett, Newmarket, visited Mrs. Wreggit and Miss Hilda Rose on Sunday.

Mrs. Bob Brisson, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Ramsay.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Case and David visited in Toronto on Sunday.

Miss Hilda Rose attended the funeral of Mr. Smalley at Uxbridge on Monday.

Miss Doris Mackie, Toronto, spent the weekend at the Fountain home.

Misses Phyllis and Gwen Kiteley and Helen Newton and Messrs. Donald Kiteley and Jim Dague, all of Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. Eugene Kiteley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lilholt and Lillian spent Sunday in Toronto.

Miss Jean Evans spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Ethel Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Long, Toronto, spent the weekend in Sharon.

Mrs. Stokes returned to Toronto with them.

Miss Margaret Pegg, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. Stevens.

HOLLAND LANDING

A special thanksgiving service will be held at the United church on Sunday evening at 7.30 p.m.

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SUNDAY, MAY 13

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## MOUNT ALBERT JOINS IN V-E CELEBRATIONS

Monday morning, when the news came through that war had ceased in Europe, the village was in a state of great excitement and flags and decorations went up on almost every home and where there were no flags it was because the supply ran out.

The school children had planned a fine parade which they carried out in the afternoon with costumes of all Allied nations, Red Cross nurses and war workers and flags of all nations they made a pretty sight.

After the parade was over the flags and streamers made the Community hall a place of beauty for the service held at 8 o'clock when the hall was filled to overflowing by people who were anxious to give thanks for the end of this terrible war.

A community choir led in the song service and representatives from all around took part, Rev. E. S. Kerr and Rev. W. H. Burgess of the local churches and Laymen Leslie Oldham, Harold Thompson, Harry Leadbetter, Murray Varney and a visiting clergyman, Rev. A. C. Whitcombe, B.A., of Brantford also took part.

The Mount Albert Red Cross unit made the following May shipment: one cot quilt, two large quilts, two prs. child's pyjamas, eight baby gowns, five prs. khaki gloves, one pr. blue gloves, one high neck khaki sweater, one khaki scarf, four prs. khaki socks, one pr. grey socks, six wool coats.

Word has been received by Mrs. J. Rennie from her nephew, Don Ross, who is with the American air force overseas.

E. S. Kerr, minister of the Gospel church, has moved into the house vacated by Morley Case.

Mr. and Mrs. Morley Case have moved in with Mr. Case's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Case.

Mrs. Harvey of Vancouver was a weekend guest at the home of Mrs. W. S. Robertson.

Mrs. Stewart Stickwood spent Thursday at the home of Mrs. Roy Carr.

Pte. Lorne Paisley arrived home from England last week and is at his home on furlough before reporting back at camp.

Owing to the proclamation of V-E Day and the proclamation setting aside next Sunday as a day of thanksgiving and remembrance, the United church is postponing its Mother's Day service till May 20 and will have a special service of thanksgiving and remembrance on Sunday morning, May 13, at 11 o'clock.

Veterans of the first World War, returned men of this war and any others who are not worshipping elsewhere, are invited to attend.

On account of these arrangements, the Sunday-school will meet at 2.30 p.m. as usual next Sunday instead of at 11 o'clock as had been planned.

Mrs. Mary Quibell spent the weekend with her granddaughter, Mrs. Taylor, Uxbridge.

The stores were closed all day Tuesday and the day was spent quietly in the village.

Mrs. T. Smalley visited her daughter, Mrs. Oliver, at Sandford over the weekend.

Just three weeks till Mount Albert has its annual sports day which will be held on Saturday, June 2. There will be a good program of sports, games and amusements, something for everyone.

It is a real old home time and all old boys and girls will receive a warm welcome from friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wagg and Ken of the R.C.A.F., New Brunswick, were Sunday guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. H. Leadbetter.

## KESWICK

Mrs. Frank Perry returned to Toronto Saturday after spending a couple of days with friends here.

Mr. Arnold Duke and a friend of Oshawa spent the weekend with Mr. Duke's sister, Mrs. J. Linstead.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ritter spent the weekend here. They have purchased a lot next to Moss Pollock's and are building a garage for present summer living quarters.

Keswick had a lively V-E celebration on Monday with church bells ringing most of the day, flags flying, school dismissed, decorated cars and buses. Monday evening both churches met for service in the United church.

Rev. R. W. Serriek of the Christian church and Rev. Gordon Lapp conducted the service. The joy of the day was saddened by the thought of many of the boys who gave their lives.

Many cottagers spent the holiday at their cottages here.

Mrs. Ernest Morton is visiting her sister in British Columbia.

## MAPLE HILL

Mr. Harold Wilkinson, Camp Borden, spent the weekend with the Gilltons.

Anniversary services were well attended last Sunday. Rev. A. C. Whitcombe delivered a splendid sermon and the musical numbers were enjoyed very much.

Next Sunday a special Mother's Day service will be held at 11 o'clock.

The young people held a social evening on Monday night at Mr. Gillton's home.

## HOLT

Mrs. Frank Wilkinson spent a few days in Hamilton last week and attended the funeral of Mrs. Arthur Warren.

## UNION STREET

There was a good attendance at the May 3 meeting of the Union Street Women's Institute at the home of Miss Violet Micks with Queensville Institute as guests. Roll-call was answered by control of springtime insects and exchange of slips.

It was decided to get a pair of blankets and give to Mrs. Glover, whose house was burned recently. Birthday greetings were extended to Mrs. Callendar.

Three new members were welcomed to the Institute. A card of thanks was received from Mrs. Mel Wright for fruit sent her.

Quite a number turned in quilt blocks.

Rev. Henry Cotton and PO J. G. Teasdale spoke on the Victory Loan.

The meeting was turned over to Queensville Institute. Mrs. Pearson, the president, took charge of the program.

Floyd Cunningham gave some interesting current events. Miss Gwen Wilmet sang a solo.

Wilbert Dew gave a reading, Mrs. Thompson gave a splendid paper on agriculture and Canadian industries. Mrs. Stanley Eves gave an interesting demonstration on wool.

A dainty lunch was served at the conclusion of the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster visited at Niagara Falls over the weekend.

LAC and Mrs. Laurie Facey spent the weekend at Mr. Tom Swanson's.

Mrs. John Cummings has gone to the United States with her sister, who has been visiting her for a few weeks. Mrs. Cummings expects to be gone a month.

## ZEPHYR

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Heaton spent Sunday with Mr. Heaton's mother, Mrs. T. Heaton. Mrs. Heaton returned with them to Toronto to spend a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Peers, Reginald and Ronald, Uxbridge, visited Mr. H. Pickering on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Midgley and family visited Mr. Midgley's parents at Greenbank on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Arnold, Brooklyn, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. I. Law.

The W.M.S. of the United church met at the home of Mrs. E. Profit on Wednesday afternoon with a good attendance.

Mrs. E. Thomas, Newmarket, is spending a few weeks at the home of her son, Mr. P. P. Thomas, and Mrs. Thomas.

Mrs. R. A. Armstrong spent Friday in Uxbridge with her mother, Mrs. Harman, who has been ill.

A number from the community spent the V-E Day holiday at their homes.

Several from the community attended the funeral of Miss Winnifred Webster in Uxbridge last Friday.

Mrs. J. Galbraith returned on Sunday after spending a few weeks with her daughter at West-on.

There was a good attendance at the thanksgiving service on Monday evening in the United church. Representatives were there from Ashworth, Sandford and the Memorial churches. The service was in the charge of Rev. Mr. Goode and Rev. Mr. Bamford, assisted by Frank Clark, Milton Kellar, David Elliot, A. Arnold, L. Profit and L. McLeod. The choir rendered special music and Mr. Goode sang a solo.

## WILL PACK BALE

The Newmarket Woman's Christian Temperance Union is sending a bale of good used clothing to the Grenfell Labrador Medical Mission. Anyone wishing to help is asked to please send their gifts to Trinity United church Monday afternoon, May 14.

FIVE-PIN BOWLERS MAKE DONATION TO VETERANS

The donation of \$16 to the Newmarket Veterans' Association (comfort fund, attributed to the Lawn Bowling club, was made by the Newmarket Five-Pin Bowling club.

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## Former Roche's Pt. Woman Has Home Razed By Fire

Many friends at Keswick and Roche's Point and throughout North Gwillimbury will be sorry to hear of the loss by fire of the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lytle, R. R. 1, Kirkfield. Mrs. Lytle was the former Robie McCordick of Roche's Point and a sister of Harvey C. McCordick of Newmarket.

The fire was caused by sparks falling on the roof and being fanned by a strong wind. In a few minutes the roof was a mass of flames. Mr. and Mrs. Lytle fought hard to save their home and help quickly arrived from their neighbors and a truckload of men came from Victoria Road. The building was 27 years old and so dry that in a short time the last wall had fallen in and flying children lit the sky. The firefighters were hard put to

keep the flames from spreading. Many shrubs and fruit bushes were destroyed. The loss was heavy as Mrs. Lytle catered to the tourist trade and had filled the house with furnishings in anticipation of a heavy season. Only the radio and the sewing machine were saved. Friends are working hard to rebuild a new house on the same foundation.

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Joy is natural to us at this time; but let us be glad wisely. Much remains to be done. Much sacrifice must yet be endured if we are to establish on this world that peace and order which is, and has been, our real goal.

Thankful we should be. Proud we may well be of the courageous fidelity of our fighting men and the women who have backed them up; and of the proven quality of our technical minds and industrial workers.

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